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The Morning Star.

OUTLINES.

Fire in Rockingham, N. C., loss about $75,000. ——Three negroes killed and seven or eight wounded in a fight with a sheriff's posse in St. Charles parish, La. —— Banks in New York city yesterday shipped large amounts of money to Baltimore. —— Hotels in San Francisco are rapidly filling with delegates to the bankers convention.——The President has issued a call for an extra session of Congress, to meet at 13 o'clock noon November 9th. —— The Long Bridge at Washington, D. C., has been repaired and trains are running as usual. —— The football game at Sewanee, Tenn., ended in a fight. —— John Harris, negro, sentenced to be hanged in Atlanta for murdering a police officer. —— Four million dollars were received in Baltimore yesterday by financial institutions in the city. —— Steamer South Portland sunk on the coast of Oregon Sunday; she had a crew of 23 and fourteen passengers. —— New York markets: Money on call easy at 1¾@2¾ per cent.; rosin firm, strained common to good $2.50@2.55; spirits turpentine steady; cotton steady at 9.80c. for middling upland; flour firm and fairly active; wheat—spot steady, No. 2 red 85½c. at elevator; corn—spot steady, No. 2 nominal; oats—spot steady; No. 2 42c.

WEATHER REPORT

U. S. DEP'T OF AGRICULTURE, WEATHER BUREAU, WILMINGTON, N. C., Oct. 20.

Meteorological data for the twenty-four hours ending at 8 P. M.:

Temperatures: 8 A. M., 54 degrees; 8 P. M., 63 degrees; maximum, 76 degrees; minimum, 49 degrees; mean, 62 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .00; rainfall since first of the month to date, 2.16 inches.

COTTON REGION BULLETIN.

Fair weather and somewhat higher temperatures are generally reported. Light frost occurred in portions of Texas, Louisiana, Mississippi and the Carolinas. Light frost at Lumberton.

FORECAST FOR TO-DAY.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 20.—For North Carolina: Fair Wednesday and Thursday; variable winds shifting to fresh northeast.

Port Almanac---October 21.

Sun Rises	6.12 A. M.
Sun Sets	5.17 P. M.
Day's Length	11 H. 5 M.
High Water at Southport	8.33 P. M.
High Water Wilmington	11.03 P. M.

A Schwab is a thing used for cleaning out cannon. Well, millionaire Schwab "cleaned out" everything in sight.

Mr. Schwab's health is much better now than that of the gentlemen he gold bricked in his Shipbuilding deal.

Roosevelt fears that if the Democrats carry Maryland Gorman will be the Democratic candidate for President, and he dreads Gorman above all others.

The Low newspapers claim that every movement of the Democrats in New York is making votes for the Republican ticket. This is one of the strongest indications of Democratic success.

"Judge not a man by the clothes he wears" is the way the Rockingham *Anglo-Saxon* begins an editorial. If there is a newspaper man in North Carolina who does not indorse that sentiment trot him out.

It's a mighty bad time for Dowie, the second-rate Elijah, to fill his money bags in New York. That city is in the throes of a violent municipal campaign and all the spare cash is going into the political pot.

"What will Greensboro do next?" asks the Durham *Herald*. Why she'll "do" Charlotte as an entertainer if the Queen City doesn't raise more steam. The national Democratic convention meets next year, you know.

"General" Webster Flanagan's stories of cruelties to negroes in Rusk county, Texas, should be taken with many grains of salt. We resided in the same town with him nearly three years and know him well. He is an 18-karat fraud.

The marriage of Mrs. Janeway to Senator Platt is her third matrimonial venture. She says she believes in "affinities," and that the Senator is the dearest fellow in the world, and she adds a laurel to his wreath by intimating that he is a poet. Blessed Tony!

The Washington *Post* wittily says: "District Attorney Jerome is making speeches for fusion until he can arrange dates for his anti-fusion campaign." It is a fact worth mentioning, in this connection, that Mr. Jerome has not yet retracted or modified his emphatic declaration, repeatedly made, that Low will be defeated.

It will be a good thing if South Carolina will establish the precedent of requiring a man to furnish a reason for killing another.—*Washington Post*. She has done so. After sleeping over it the jury in the Tillman case decided that the defendant told the truth when he swore he believed he was in imminent danger of death or great bodily harm at the hands of Gonzales, who was unarmed and had his hands in his overcoat pockets to keep them warm.

A COLORED SHOPLIFTER.

Search of Negro Woman's House Yesterday Disclosed a Large Quantity of Stolen Goods—Arrested.

City Detective Robert Green, in cooperation with the police department, yesterday landed in the station house Viola Edwards, a colored domestic, against whom it looks as if a case of systematic shop lifting will be developed. The woman was arrested by Policeman E. L. Smith at her house in St. James' avenue, near Eighth and Dock streets, and a search of the house prior to that time by Capt. Green disclosed that her home was a veritable store house for plunder. A quantity of dry goods, including several fine silk skirts, which were later identified by Mr. M. Braddy, of the Paris Millinery Store, were taken from the place to Chief of Police Furlong's office, where they await claim by the rightful owners.

The Edwards woman lately nursed for Mr. R. W. Wallace, who now lives at 514 Dock street, and a room there was recently plundered by the woman and about $25 or $30 and other property stolen. Mr. Wallace placed the case in the hands of Capt. Green a few days ago and yesterday he had collected sufficient evidence upon which to base a search warrant. Accompanied by Mr. Wallace, Capt. Green went to the woman's house and there the disclosures were made and an amount of money recovered, a part of which Mr. Wallace says is of the same denomination and description of that stolen from him. The woman was not at home and a policeman was stationed there until she returned.

LOCAL DOTS.

— A number of extra policemen have been added to the force by Chief Furlong for Carnival week and the department is preserving excellent order.

— Cotton receipts yesterday were 3,609 bales against 1,694 bales same day last year. The market was dull at 9½c. Spirits turpentine advanced yesrteday to 56½c.; tone firm.

— Ed. Mosely, colored, was sent to the roads for 30 days by the Mayor yesterday on charge of disorderly conduct. Other cases in the police court yesterday were of no interest.

— By deed filed for record yesterday Jasper C. Salter, of New York, transferred to Mrs. Mary H. Kenan for $10,500, the Latimer residence at southwest corner of Third and Orange streets.

— Jim Judge has returned to town and last night he was arrested by Justice Borneman and remanded to jail, judgment in a recent case against him having been suspended upon condition that he leave town.

— Willie Hall, aged five years, who lived at 511 Castle street, died Monday afternoon of appendicitis. The funeral was conducted at 11 o'clock yesterday morning by Bev. F. M. Shamburger and the remains were laid to rest in Bellevue.

— Louis Lavender, alias "Skeet," a notorious negro thief, was arrested by Policeman Jones yesterday, charged with the larceny of a cloak from a Syrian merchant, on South Front street, which garment he later attempted to sell back to the man from whom it had been stolen.

— The A. C. L. train from the North was more than an hour late yesterday morning on account of waiting for the Marie Wainwright Company at Goldsboro. The company played at Raleigh Monday night and came over the Southern to Goldsboro.

— The steamer "City of Fayetteville" arrived yesterday afternoon. Among her passengers were Maj. Chas. Haigh and Col. W. S. Cook. The steamer "Johnson" arrived from up the Cape Fear and will make another trip up the same river before returning to the Black River run.

Board of Audit and Finance.

The City Board of Audit and Finance met in regular session last night, but transacted no business of general interest. All members were present except Messrs. McNair and Orrell. The contracts for coal as awarded by the Board of Aldermen were approved, and 18 coupons amounting to $370, which had been paid, were burned. The usual bills for current expenses were examined and approved.

Death of Young Engineer.

Mr. Charles H. Kemp, an engineer, employed at the Angola Lumber Co., died yesterday afternoon at the James Walker Memorial Hospital after a brief illness. Mr. Kemp was a young man and moved to Wilmington only a short time ago. He boarded at the residence of Mr. J. E. Wilkinson, No. 714 North Fourth street. It is presumed that his remains will be sent to his former home for interment.

Hankins Boy Still Held.

Charlie Hankins, the young negro boy arrested for attempting to snatch a purse from two women on Princess street Monday night, is still held at the station house while the police are trying to ascertain the names of the parties whom he attacked. The stolen breast-pin also awaits identification. The boy now set up the defence that he was throwing confetti.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Jr. O. U. A. M.—Notice.
W. B. Cooper—Seed oats.
Con. Rys. L. & P. Co.—Notice.
Con. Rys. L. & P. Co.—Schedule.

REIGN OF CARNIVAL.

Street Fair Opened in All Its Glory Yesterday Afternoon and Last Night.

THE PARADE AND FIREWORKS

Spectacular Feature of the Week Takes Place To-night — Naval Reserves Make a Show—Country Store Doing a Good Business

The section of Market street, between Front and Third, assumed carnival proportions yesterday, and all day long until a late hour last night the midway was crowded. The various attractions were well patronized, and if nothing unforeseen occurs the Junior Order of United American Mechanics will make a big success of the enterprise, both financially and from the viewpoint of entertainment furnished to those with a taste for confetti and the hundred and one other distinctive features of the modern street fair.

The various attractions opened yesterday afternoon at 1 o'clock and immediately the people began to crowd the tents. The spielers in front, the band, the popping of torpedo canes, the blowing of "gazooks" and the tinkle of the striking machine bell, with the plaintive notes of the hobby-horse steam organette, all served to remind one that the merry carnival season was on again. The atmosphere was pleasant for the absence of kicks and everywhere the best of feeling prevailed. The crowds reached their maximum about 9 o'clock last night. One could scarcely pick a way through the vast throngs and young people threw confetti like fiends. A car load of the tiny particles must have been sold at "five-a-bag." It rained in sheets in the more populous centres, but very few became angry. Amidst all the throngs only one arrest was made for an unpleasant incident. A young white man was taken to the police station for pushing another man over a young white girl, but he disclaimed any purpose to be disorderly.

The location of the principal shows was given in yesterday's paper. The "Red Dome" is situated on the north side of Market, immediately facing Front street, and the others face the ferris wheel in the centre of Second and Market.

On the south side of Market, just east of the Ferris wheel, the Wilmington Division of Naval Reserves has put on an excellent attraction in the way of a museum, where are displayed their Spanish war curiosities, artillery, etc. The show will open this afternoon and the sailors deserve the patronage of the multitude.

The "country store," a local enterprise, is situated at Front and Market streets, and is in charge of the Daughters of Liberty, the ladies' organization of the Jr. O. U. A. M., and they are personally conducting it. The "store" did a smashing good business last night and the stock of good things offered for sale by an attractive method was almost exhausted. Merchants who can assist the ladies by sending other donations will confer a great favor by so doing.

To-day and to-night will be the crowning season of the fair. All the shows will open this afternoon and continue until midnight. This evening the feature of the entire carnival will be the magnificent spectacular parade of the local military, prominent citizens, Fire Department, business designs and by no means least the beautiful flag effect by one hundred patriotic "Juniors" in charge of Chairman A. Watkins, of the Parade Commitee, and Capt. E. P. Dudley, assistant marshal. The parade will be along the route given in yesterday's paper to Ninth and Red Cross streets, where the elaborate display of fireworks will take place. A feature of the parade will be the splendid carnival band which the STAR inadvertently failed to mention yesterday. For the purpose of joining the parade all members of the Carnival Executive Committee are asked to meet at headquarters promptly at 7:30 o'clock to-night where carriages will be in waiting for them. Chairman Watkins had a final meeting with the Jr. O. U. A. M. Company last night and he is confident of making a fine showing. All who will participate in the parade are asked to report also at headquarters at 7:30 o'clock this evening in costume. They will move in time to be at Front and Orange streets by 7:45 o'clock where the procession will form and move half hour later. State Councillor Geo. E. Hood will arrive at 6 o'clock this evening from Goldsboro and will be met at the station by the committee who will escort him to The Orton and later to a carriage for the parade.

A free feature of the carnival is a death-defying trapeze act by "Percino," a Wilmington boy, who appears each afternoon and at 10 o'clock nightly in front of the Bonitz House. The act is highly creditable and daring.

Show Negro Stole Clothes.

At the request of one of the carnival showmen, Policeman Frank George last night arrested at Second and Market streets Ben Carroll, a negro who worked at one of the tents and who was detected by the manager with a new suit of black clothes which he could give no account of buying. The show manager promptly had the negro employe arrested and the clothes await identification at the City Hall.

Fifty Dinner Sets, twenty Tea Sets from $5 up at Bissinger's China Parlors, 119 Market street. †

THE DISPENSARY PETITIONS.

Denial Which Is Not a Denial and Correction Which Is Not a Correction. A Statement Here.

Despite the statements contained in an interview with a "member of the Anti-Saloon League Executive Committee" and printed in an afternoon paper yesterday to the effect that none of the petitions asking for a dispensary election "have left his office yet," the local reporter of this paper, who has no feeling whatever in the matter except to substantiate his previous unbiased assertion to the contrary, has in his possession affidavits that some petitions are out and that signatures are being asked for. Furthermore, he has the admission by telephone last night of the aforesaid "member of the Executive Committee" that "some" petitions are out and the number may be "half a dozen; perhaps a dozen." In justice, however, to the Executive Committeeman referred to, it is here stated that the idea he meant to convey in the interview was that while a few of the petitions were in the hands of some of the more ardent workers, no systematic effort had yet been commenced to further the movement and none would be until the Executive Committee meets Friday night. The work now being done is spasmodic in its character, but when the books are canvassed by the committee, systematic effort will be inaugurated.

In the light of the above there is no use to make further reply to the quotation from the interview that "up to the present time no effort has been made to secure signatures to the petitions and no work has been done since the meeting Friday night." It is also unnecessary for the reporter to make an argument in behalf of the authenticity of his registration figures, which are conceded to be correct with the exception of the First ward in which it is claimed in contradiction of the figures printed in these columns, that the registration is 504, when only 430 votes were cast in the first primary for mayor last April, and only 445 votes were cast for mayor in the second primary two days later.

The reporter, who makes this statement on personal grounds, has no desire to be disagreeable or throw the least impediment in the way of the movement for a dispensary election, but there are some things the average newspaper man cannot stand, and that is to be told flatly in print that he lied in print, when the facts are on his side of the case.

FUNERAL OF MRS. MEIER.

Impressive Services Conducted Over Remains of Good Woman Yesterday.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Maria Meier, wife of Capt. Joseph Meier, was conducted at 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon from Grace M. E. church in the presence of a very large gathering of friends. The services were very impressive and were by Rev. J. N. Cole, assisted by Rev. J. W. Potter. Special music was rendered by the choir and a wealth of beautiful flowers was laid upon the grave.

The pall-bearers were: Honorary, Dr. T. B. Kingsbury and Mr. J. H. Bornemann; active. Messrs. John Haar, A. J. Marshall, E. Poezelt, H. M. Foard, A. G. Hankins and W. B. Cooper. The remains were quietly laid to rest in Oakdale.

CIRCUSES CANCEL DATES.

Heavy Railroad Rates and Poor Business Force the Big Fellows Off.

On account of heavy railroad rates and generally poor business in the State, both Walter L. Main's and Sig. Sautelle's circuses, which were booked to appear here Nov. 9th and Nov. 2d, respectively, have cancelled their Wilmington dates. The information came in a letter to the C. R., L. & P. Co., which had made all arrangements for handling the people to the big tented enterprises at the Delgado switch on the suburban line. There is bitter disappointment in the announcement for the small boy and likewise to some older citizens, who always take the "little fellows to see the animals."

Y. M. C. A. Auditorium.

The Boston Stars, the opening attraction in the Y. M. C. A. Star Course, entertained a large and fashionable audience last evening. There were few vacant seats. The programme was nicely arranged and all were delightfully entertained. Many times were the performers recalled. Miss Harvy, as reciter, and Miss Bickford as soprano, deserve special mention. Mr. Reynolds was fully up to the standard as humorist. The next attraction in the Star Course is the company of Chicago Lady Entertainers.

Marriage at Southport To-Day.

The steamer "Sanders" has been chartered and this morning at 8 o'clock will take to Southport a party of young people from Wilmington to attend the marriage of Miss Margaret Louise St. George, daughter of Capt. and Mrs. William St. George, of Southport, and Mr. William Henderson Stone, Jr., of Little River, S. C. The wedding will take place at high noon at Trinity Methodist church. Mr. Stone and bride will pass through the city this evening en route North on a bridal tour.

Big lot of English Toilet Sets and Lamps at Bissinger's China Parlors, 119 Market street. †

TERRY IS ARRAIGNED.

Preliminaries of Important Murder Trial in New Hanover Superior Court.

THE SESSION YESTERDAY.

Defendant Present and Motion for Continuance Made—Removal to Another County—Other Proceedings of Day—Road Sentences.

S. Hill Tery, charged with the murder of his son-in-law, George Tate Bland, at the latter's home in Brooklyn fifteen days ago, was formally arraigned before Judge Brown in the Superior Court yesterday morning. The prisoner pleaded not guilty to the grave accusation against him. The arraignment was accompanied by the usual formalities and immediately thereafter defendant's counsel made a motion for continuance until next term upon the ground that sufficient time had not been given for the preparation of a defence. Solicitor Duffy on the other hand urged a speedy trial and said he was ready with the prosecution. Judge Brown denied the motion for continuance and set the case for trial beginning next Monday, Oct. 26th. Messrs. Bellamy & Bellamy and Russell & Gore, counsel for Terry, then notified the court that they desired to make another motion on the following day. Judge Brown said he would hear the motion and to that end, ordered that the prisoner be again brought into court this morning as soon as the day's session convened. While counsel made no intimation of the character of the motion to be made, it is learned upon pretty good authority that they will ask for removal to another county. Counsel for the State thinks that a request for such an extraordinary step will be denied and that the trial will go on as set by the Judge but attorneys on the other side appear just as confident that the case will not be tried at this term.

Besides Messrs. Bellamy & Bellamy and Russell & Gore, it is learned that Walter P. Gafford, Esq., has been retained by the defence. Messrs. Lewis & Schulken, of Whiteville; E. M. Koonce, Esq., of Jacksonville, N. C., Solicitor Duffy's law partner, and J. F. Sellars, Esq., of this city, it is said, will assist in the prosecution. Mr. J. B. Schulken, of Whiteville, arrived yesterday and conferred with the Solicitor. The defendant appeared in court yesterday in rather an indifferent kind of way and did not seem nervous. He shows the effect of confinement a little in the bleaching of his face. His son, W. R. Terry, who has remained very faithful to his father, was among the spectators in the court room. The defendant Terry was seated in the prisoner's dock and answered without a tremor the formal questions that were put to him in the arraignment. He also listened attentively to the reading of the bill of indictment by the clerk. As soon as the arraignment and discussion of the motion was over, Terry was taken back to jail.

Rather more rapid progress was made on the criminal docket in court yesterday, and there now remains for trial to-day only the cases against the women of alleged ill repute for selling beer without license and Charles Dunston, colored, for an assault with a deadly weapon upon his daughter. He had previously been convicted of carrying concealed weapons, the verdict having been rendered after court took a recess Monday afternoon. He is out on bond and failed to show up in court yesterday. When the beer-selling cases are disposed of, the court on to-morrow will enter upon the trial of civil cases, the calendar of which has already been published.

After the arraignment of Terry yesterday, the civil suit of George A. Croft and wife against Graham Daves et al., was called up and judgment was given for plaintiffs. The most important criminal cases disposed of were those of George Boney, the negro charged with the larceny of chickens from Mr. M. C. Kreeger, who was given ten months on the roads; Isaac Singleton, the colored tramp from Charleston, S. C., who was given the maximum penalty of 30 days on the roads for simple assault, the charge of attempted criminal assault upon the little colored girl, Sarah E. Payne, not having been sustained, and Robert Martin, who pleaded guilty of abandonment and was required to pay the costs of the case and $1.50 per week to his wife through the clerk of the Superior Court.

Owen Bonham, charged with larceny, was found not guilty and the jury in the case of Etta Pugh and Wm. Crawford, charged with an affray, returned a verdict of guilty as to Crawford and not guilty as to Pugh. Crawford was given 90 days on the roads. A nol. pros. was taken by the solicitor in the case of Maggie Crawford and Etta Pugh, charged with an assault with a deadly weapon. J. H. Taylor, colored, pleaded guilty of an assault with a deadly weapon and was sentenced to 60 days on the roads or to pay the costs. Thos. Williams, charged with disorderly conduct, on appeal from the Mayor's court, was found not guilty.

Richard King and A. O. Lions, the young negroes charged with crap shooting, were placed on trial and a verdict of guilty returned as to Lions, who was given 30 days.

Judgment absolute according to scifa was rendered in case of J. A. Norris, an excursionist who deposited $50 bond for his appearance in court to answer a charge of carrying concealed weapons. Judge Brown ordered that the cash bond be forfeited; the costs of the action paid and the balance paid over to the treasurer of the school fund.

The grand jury yesterday completed its work and will make its report first thing this morning. The jury at this term did not have to visit the various county [illegible].

LADY'S NARROW ESCAPE.

Woman and Child Run Over by Runaway Team and Baby Carriage Smashed Occupant Slightly Injured.

That Mrs. William J. Hart and her little two-year old son whom she was pushing in a baby carriage, were not one or both killed yesterday afternoon about 3 o'clock at Fifth and Dock streets is due to the hand of a kind Providence. A runaway horse attached to a delivery wagon of the Wilmington Grocery Co. bore down upon them with all the fury of a maddened cyclone, smashed the baby carriage into smithereens, threw the boy to the sidewalk and knocked the mother down. The frightened woman picked up her child, only slightly hurt, and proceeded down town where she had started, but later her nerves collapsed and she had to be sent home in a carriage. A physician is attending her, and though she has several bad bruises and one of her arms is crushed right badly, she will probably recover in a day or two. The child was the least injured. The runaway horse smashed into a tree on the sidewalk and stopped soon after running into Mrs. Hart and child.

Mrs. Hart is the wife of a well known carpenter, who lives at 613 South Sixth street, and a sister-in-law of Mr. Jno. T. Yates, superintendent of the city fire alarm system.

COMING ACADEMY ATTRACTIONS.

"Holty-Tolty" To-morrow Night —Week-End Bills of Distinction.

The sale of seats for Weber & Fields, magnificent production of "Holty-Tolty" at the Academy of Music Thursday evening begins this morning at 8:30 o'clock at Plummer's. Seats will be $1.50 and $1 and the audience promises to be one of the largest and most fashionable of the season. The company appeared in Charlotte last week and the *Observer* critic says of the production:

"Holty Tolty" was played to a large and evidently appreciative audience at the Academy of Music last night. It is a Weber & Fields affair, and therefore lacks any sort of cohesiveness or plot, but it is full of pretty scenic effects and displays magnificent stage furnishings and gorgeous costumes. The music is tuneful and catchy, and the comedy is of the Weber & Fields' dialoguish type which never fails to produce mirth from the ordinary audience. In the hands of the performers who handled it last night "Holty-Tolty" fares well enough. They have plenty of snap and breeziness, and a combination of good leads and only a fairly well favored but athletic chorus carries the piece with a rush and spirit that are good for the blues.

"Sweet Sixteen—This is the attraction that is booked to appear at the Academy Friday night with John B. Wills as the star, and the mere announcement of this organization is a sufficient guarantee to fill the popular play-house from pit to dome. This snappy and up-to-date musical comedy introduces a bevy of handsome young ladies fastidiously costumed. The scenery is entirely new and carried by the company. The vaudeville portion consists of nothing but head-liners. The comedians are very clever, and are of the mirth-provoking kind. This organization bristles with good humor, and is sure to please the patrons of this popular theatre. Prices will be 35 and 50c. Saturday matinee "Two Old Cronies" will be presented as a special offering for the ladies and children and Saturday night the brand new farce comedy "At Atlantic City" will be the attraction.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

— Mr. W. R. Kenan, Jr., of New York, is in the city.

—Dr. N. A. Thompson, of Whiteville, is in the city on a professional visit.

— Capt. James I. Metts is attending the veterans' reunion in Raleigh.

— Mrs. T. A. Smoot and children, of Fayetteville, are visiting relatives and friends in the city.

— Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Powers and Miss Mabel Powers left yesterday afternoon for their home in Atlanta.

— Mrs. John B. Gibble left yesterday afternoon for her home in Butte, Montana, after spending several months with her relatives in the city.

— Mr. Richard Lambert, advance agent for Paul Gilmore in the "Mummy and Humming Bird" which will appear here shortly, arrived in the city yesterday.

News of the Quarantines.

The Health Department yesterday established a quarantine for diphtheria at 506 Price's alley, between Fifth, Sixth, Church and Castle streets. The patient is William Collins, colored, 34 years old. A quarantine for the same disease at the residence of Mrs. Tharp, 216 Wright street, was lifted yesterday; likewise the scarlet fever quarantine at the residence of Mr. R. F. Gore, Tenth, between Chesnut and Grace streets.

Suburban Car Schedule.

A slight change in the schedule of the C. R., L. & P. Co.'s suburban line goes into effect to-day. The car which formerly left the city at 6:30 P. M. will now leave at 6:10 P. M. and the car which left the sound at 8 A. M. will now leave ten minutes later. The car which also left the sound at 7:30 P. M. will hereafter leave at 7 P. M. During Carnival Week an extra car will leave Front and Princess streets for Wrightsville daily at 10 P. M.

— The North Carolina Sorosis will meet Wednesday, Oct. 20th, at 4:30 o'clock at the home of the president.

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THE NEWS FROM RALEIGH.

Insurance Underwriters in Session—State Fair—Reunion of Veterans.

[Special Star Telegram.]

RALEIGH, N. C., Oct. 20.—The North Carolina Underwriters' Association, in annual session here to night, elected the following officers for the ensuing year: President, A. B. Dangerfield, Winston-Salem; Vice President, H. C. Bragaw, Washington; Secretary and Treasurer, S. M. Boatwright, Wilmington. Executive Committee, W. J. Griswold, Durham; C. F. Harvey, Kinston; J. VanB. Metts, Wilmington; R. W. Murray, Greensboro; W. W. Smith, Raleigh.

President W. J. Griswold, of Durham, in an address retiring from the presidency, made a stirring appeal for loyalty to the Southeastern Tariff Association and its machinery. The resident agents' law was criticised and a committee was appointed to urge its repeal by the next Legislature. The membership has made a material increase during the year.

The State Fair was opened at noon by Hon. R. H. Battle, owing to the illness of Governor Aycock, who had a chill this morning but is now much better. The crowds are much larger than ever known for Tuesday of a Fair week. There was the largest first day attendances of marshals on record. Col. Morton is leaving no stone unturned for success of this feature of the fair. He is attended by H. M. Chase, M. McIntosh, R. G. Grady, E. S. Pigford, Clayton Giles, Jr., D. McEachern, H. L. Vollers, J. Van B. Metts and R. L. Williams, from Wilmington. Other marshals are here from all paris of the State.

The encampment of Confederate Veterans is proving successful. Already there are nearly 500 in camp. The greatest number is expected to-morrow. Gen. Carr is in command with Division Commanders James I. Metts, P. C. Carlton, J. M. Ray and W. L. London.

Great Theatrical Production

Miss Marie Wainwright, whose fame as an actress has spread across two continents, supported by an excellent company, was seen and admired last night in a brilliant interpretation of the difficult role of "Viola" in a charming revival of Shakespeare's great comedy "Twelfth Night." The scenery and costumes were fresh and beautiful and the production was an artistic success. The audience was not so large, but fashionable. Miss Wainwright was the favorite, of course, but the caste contained some other actors of ability. Meta Rogers, tall and fair and handsomely costumed, made a splendid "Olivia" and the "Orsino" of Alvin V. Johnson was likewise great.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Notice Jr. O. U. A. M.

All members of the Jr. O. U. A. M. who have agreed to take part in the parade Wednesday night will please report at headquarters, No. 15 Princess street, at 7:30 o'clock sharp to-night in costume. By order of

A. WATKINS, Chairman.
oc 21 1t

Change in Schedule.

Beginning To-day, October 21st, the first car on suburban line in the morning will leave Wrightsville for Wilmington at 8:10 A. M. The last car for Wrightsville (Saturdays excepted) will leave Front and Princess streets at 6:10 P. M., and returning will leave Wrightsville at 7 P. M.

CON. RYS. L. & P. CO.

Rust Proof Seed Oats.

1,250 Bushels N. C. Rust Proof Oats 57½c.
860 Bushels Texas Rust Proof Oats 55c.
110 Bushels Seed Rye 90c.
1,700 Lbs. Smoked Plates 9c.
1,600 Lbs. Pic-Nic Hams.
756 bbls. Half Patent Flour.
261 Bbls. Best Patent Flour.
Car loads of other goods arriving daily.

W. B. COOPER,
308, 310 & 312 Nutt street.
WILMINGTON, N. C.
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GROCERIES

50 Bbls Stick Candy.
200 Cases Salmons.
100 Boxes Octagon Soap,
200 Bags Green Coffee.
100 Boxes Borax Soap.
100 Boxes Ark Soap.
100 Cases Sardines.
100 Bbls Mullets.
100 Bags Peanuts.
25 Bbls Mott's Vinegar.
20 Bbls Mott's Cider.

Molasses, Syrups and a complete line of Groceries and Tobaccos for sale at lowest prices.

SAM'L BEAR, SR., & SONS.,
Wholesale Grocerties,
oct 9 tf 18 Market Street.

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HAMME, THE HATTER,
FOR LATEST STYLES AND LOWEST PRICES.
oct 10 tf 34 Front Street.

Silver Salt.

It's a pleasure to clean Silver, Gold, Cut Glass or anything that shines with
SILVER SALT.
Makes water do the work. Guaranteed positively harmless; 25 cts at
HARDIN'S
Palace Pharmacy,
126 South Front Street.
oc 14 Both 'Phones 55.

Bell Telephone Subscribers.

A subscribers' new directory will go to press on November 1st, 1903, and it will be necessary that all information as to changes and additions be in my office by October 25th, 1903. Subscribers whose contracts expire either by advance payments or primary term on November 1st, 1903, and have not already signed new contracts. It will be necessary that new contracts be executed before October 25, 1903, or their names will not appear in our next directory.

Kindly notify me, either in person or by letter, of any changes you may desire in our next directory and oblige.

T. S. McMANUS, Manager.
oct 20 3t

NOTICE.

During Carnival week an extra car will leave Front and Princess streets for Wrightsville at 10 P. M.
CON. RY. L. & P. CO.
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The Morning Star

WILLIAM H. BERNARD.

WILMINGTON, N. C.

WEDNESDAY MORNING, OCT. 21.

COLLEGE ROWDYISM.

College-boy rowdyism and indecency and their results could hardly have gone further than they went in Brunswick, Me., the other night. The freshmen of Bowdoin College, attired only in their night shirts or pajamas, as they possessed one or the other, were escorted through the town by the sophomores. The procession made its way in most boisterous fashion to the town hall, and after burning red lights, singing songs and making the night hideous with yells, started on the return trip to the college. In the meantime the "hoodlums" of the place had been aroused and stretched a rope across the street at a certain point, and having assembled there in large force, began to pelt the revelers with clods of earth, over-mellow apples and over-ripe eggs. The students, finding themselves greatly outnumbered, deemed discretion the better part of valor and made a break for college quarters, the town mob, which included many grown men, following. The route, however, led through a street that was undergoing repairs, and along which were scattered piles of broken stones, and soon the missiles that came so handy were falling thick and fast upon the retreating column. Scores of undergraduates received severe scalp wounds, the captain of the freshman baseball team was knocked senseless and a junior and a sophomore were lugged off in a critical condition. From all accounts the whole affair was one of the most disgraceful that ever occurred in a college town, says a contemporary, and "especially so in the savagery of the attack of the citizens."

But an exceedingly more disgusting and disquieting development of the epidemic of rowdyism is the class rush reported from Topeka, Kansas. In that city, on Thursday, on the stage of a public hall and in the presence of five hundred spectators, two classes of girls and young women, about fifty each, fought. Imitating the men students, they undertook to crowd each other from the platform. Dresses were torn, eyes were blacked, hair was pulled, there was hitting and kicking and scratching -- presumably swearing also.

It is bad enough when colleges and universities teach boys to be rowdies; but when the evil lesson is extended to the girls the very foundations of decency and civilization are assailed. A rowdy, coarse, immodest, aggressive woman is an abomination, demoralization, disfigurement to any community or people. What hope can there be for a clean, respectable, civilized race of men with the wives, mothers and sisters blackguards and pugilists?

Here in the South the natural conservatism and sense of personal dignity of the people has checked the tendency to imitate the blackguardism of some of the Northern and Western institutions alleged to be of learning, but on the other side of the Potomac conditions seem to be worse than ever. If they continue, the conservative people of the country who wish their children to be brought up to be something like gentlemen and gentlewomen will keep them at home, and the youth of the future will present as its best testimonial and proudest boast the fact that it never has been at college or exposed to college influences ro examples.

The remedy is in the hands of the authorities of the institutions and the parents of students. If somebody has the nerve to send all the girls who engaged in this affair at Topeka to their homes in disgrace and to be equally severe with the Bowdoin toughs, and if other institutions will refuse to receive them, a vast deal will have been accomplished toward checking that part of the trouble, at least. Public sentiment throughout the country should be aroused and plainly expressed. We cannot afford to consider such outbreaks indulgently as merely youthful freaks. They are distinct demonstrations of rowdyism of the most violent and threatening kind and ought to be considered and treated in that way.—*Richmond News Leader.*

The thirtieth annual edition of "Cotton Movement and Fluctuations" from 1898 to 1903, has just been issued by Latham, Alexander & Co., bankers and cotton commission merchants, 16 and 18 Wall street, New York. That its statistics are invaluable to all who are interested in cotton is amply proven by the long list of commendatory greetings from business houses in this country and Europe.

Broke Into His House.

S. LeQuinn, of Cavendish, Vt., was robbed of his customary health by invasion of chronic constipation. When Dr. King's New Life Pills broke into his house his trouble was arrested, and now he's entirely cured. They are guaranteed to cure. 25c at R. R. BELLAMY'S drug store. †

CASTORIA.

Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher. The Kind You Have Always Bought

CURRENT COMMENT.

—— "We may now expect to be assured by Republican leaders in several languages that the Democratic victory in Indianapolis had no national significance."—*Washington Post, Ind.*

—— "There are in London more Scotchmen than in Aberdeen, more Irish than in Dublin, more Jews than in Palestine, more Roman Catholics than in Rome, and more Americans than in Oskaloose, Ia.—*Chicago Record-Herald, Ind.*

—— The frequency with which dangerous cranks seek to gain access to the President should put an end for all time to these senseless public receptions at which the President is expected to stand up and let hundreds of people file in and shake his hand. The degenerate survival of the royal levee has long been an outrageous nuisance. It has been used for an advertising card for Washington excursion business, and parties of tourists have been taken to receptions by a guide and put in line to shake hands with the President. Our President is not a king or a show piece of any kind, but a republican magistrate, with important public business to attend to, and nobody ought to have access to him for the gratification of idle curiosity.—*Pittsburg Gazette.*

—— Men go where a money reward for toil beckons them, and the South offers more inducements in this line than any other section of the footstool. The white man is learning that in no other part of the world is industry so liberally rewarded and the result will be that in a few years the burden of the work in the rejuvenation and development of the South will be performed by the white men. The negro will be forced into competition with a restless, energetic class of bread-winners and given to understand that shiftlessness spells hunger. That condition is developing in the South more rapidly than is generally appreciated. Its final development will do more to solve the race problem than all the combined efforts of radical theorists, North or South.—*Washington Post.*

—— Congress is empowered to establish a uniform rule of naturalization. In determining whether the applicant is fit for citizenship, the practice of the State courts is far from uniform. Some judges exact educational qualifications which others do not require. Ability to read the English language with reasonable facility is demanded in certain courts. In many instances the process of naturalization is purely perfunctory, and not likely to impress the applicant with the importance of the act in which he is engaged. The naturalization of 1,800 aliens in one evening is a farce in which no judge should be a participant. It is understood that President Roosevelt will recommend that Congress shall limit the right to confer naturalization to the federal courts, so that uniformity of practice and a better administration of the naturalization laws may be secured.—*Philadelphia Public Ledger.*

—— In putting up prices for consumers and putting them down for producers, the meat trust people are taking large chance. They are also taking large profits, to be sure, but it is more than possible that they are making a mistake in thinking that the size of the profits is sufficient to compensate them for the size of the chances. That is the question the answer to which depends upon several things, including the quality and quantity of the public's patience, and exact knowledge on that subject is hard to obtain. A few months ago the meat magnates solemnly assured us that that the raising of cattle, sheep and swine had practically ceased in this country, and that the few farmers who had any stock left were charging the poor packers such outrageous prices for them that there was nothing except assorted ruin in the business, even when the householder did all he could to divide the expense. That tale received a sort of acceptance for a while, but the reports from the ranges and the slaughter houses are now coming in, and doubts are beginning to arise in minds hitherto beautifully credulous. When the doubts get really big, things may happen—something may even drop. —*N. Y. Times.*

INSPIRED BY A SKELETON.

The Story of How Chopin Composed His Funeral March.

Late one summer's afternoon, said Ziem, Chopin and I sat talking in my studio. In one corner of the room stood a piano and in another the complete skeleton of a man with a large white cloth thrown, ghostlike, about it. I noticed that now and again Chopin's gaze would wander, and from my knowledge of the man I knew that his thoughts were far away from me and his surroundings. More than that, I knew that he was composing.

Presently he rose from his seat without a word, walked over to the skeleton and removed the cloth. He then carried it to the piano and, seating himself, took the hideous object upon his knees—a strange picture of life and death.

Then, drawing the white cloth round himself and the skeleton, he laid the latter's fingers over his own and began to play. There was no hesitation in the slow, measured flow of sound which he and the skeleton conjured up. As the music swelled in a louder strain I closed my eyes, for there was something weird in that picture of man and skeleton seated at the piano, with the shadows of evening deepening around them and the ever swelling and ever softening music filling the air with mystery. And I knew I was listening to a composition which would live forever.

The music ceased, and when I looked up the piano chair was empty, and on the floor lay Chopin's unconscious form, and beside him, smashed all to pieces, was the skeleton I prized so much. The great composer had swooned, but his march was found.—New York World.

Natural Sequence.

"Yes," concluded the medical raconteur, "she became insane through excessive dancing."

"One might say she was hopping mad, I suppose!" gurgled the cheerful idiot.—Baltimore American.

A Difference.

The Friend—Is your daughter happily married?

The Father—Well, happily she's married.—Kansas City Independent.

TWINKLINGS.

— Although a soft answer may turn away wrath, there are times when one derives more satisfaction from calling a man a liar.—*Philadelphia Record.*

— Hewitt—"I'm always happy when I'm smoking a good cigar." Jewett—"You expect your friends to contribute too much to your happiness."—*Brooklyn Life.*

— "Yander comes de sheriff, ter level on yo' mule!" "Let 'em come! I done powdered bofe dat mule's kindfoots with dynamite en gunpowder!"—*Atlanta Constitution.*

— Patience—Did Peggy join the "Don't Worry Club" yet? Patrice —No; she's not eligible. She's crazy to marry, but she hasn't found the man yet.—*Yonkers Statesman.*

— "Is Mamie's new hat becoming?" "It must be. I heard one of the other girls say it looked as if she bought it at a rummage sale."—*Philadelphia Evening Bulletin.*

— "I suppose your son is still studying hard to become a doctor?" "Oh, no, he's taking a good, long rest now, with nothing to do. He has graduated and started to practice."—*Philadelphia Press.*

—"Well, M. L. and O. has dropped six points more—I've lost everything!" "But you still have me darling." "Yes, but confound it, I can't afford you now."—*Brooklyn Life.*

— Physician (to patient's wife) —"Why did you delay sending for me until your husband was unconscious?" Wife—"Well, doctor, as long as he retained his senses' he wouldn't let us send for you."—*Chicago Daily News.*

— Miss Ann Teek—And what do you think? He hadn't been alone with me five minutes before he offered to kiss me. Miss Peppery—Yes, that's one thing 'about Jack Goodart. He's just as tender-hearted and charitable as he can be.—*Philadelphia Press.*

— Little Willie—Say pa, this paper tells about a man who paraded his misfortunes. How can a man do that? Pa—Well, he might do it by escorting his wife, her mother and her two maiden sisters to church my son.—*Chicago News.*

— Mr. Noolywed—"That coat, with its bum buttonholes and one button off, has been right before your eyes for two weeks, and you have not taken the slightest notice of it." Mrs. Noolywed—"Well, haven't you ever heard that love is blind."—*Washington Star.*

— Sarcastic New Yorker: "The nerve of you! Celebrating your 'centennial' when your town is only a little over seventy years old!" Chicago man—"That's what makes it all the more marvellous. How many other towns could do it?"—*Chicago Tribune.*

— You say your new cook doesn't know a thing about preparing a meal, and yet your husband hasn't said a word about it?" "Yes. You see he selected her because she was pretty, and I am letting him feast upon her good looks until he gets tired."—*Cincinnati Times-Star.*

RUN DOWN AND NERVOUS.

VINOL COMPLETELY RESTORED MRS. BURN'S HEALTH.

Robt. R. Bellamy, Our Well Known Druggist, Agrees to Return Money If Vinol Fails.

"Many people right here in Wilmington are all run down, hardly able to drag about, don't know what ails them. This condition is probably caused by a cold, or cough, which is hard to cure, overwork or too close confinement to business. Such people need Vinol," said Mr. Robt. R. Bellamy, and the following letter is only one of many which we are constantly receiving showing what Vinol will do.

Vinol cures such conditions because

MRS. W. T. BURNS.

it is the only preparation in the world that contains every one of the fifty odd medicinal curative elements found in fresh cod livers and without one drop of useless oil, which characterizes old-fashioned cod liver oil and emulsions. It imparts in a natural manner strength and vigor to every organ of the body, aids digestion and makes rich, red blood.

Mrs. W. T. Burns, of Memphis, Tenn., who is national press correspondent of the W. R. C., writes: "Last winter I caught a severe cold which it seemed impossible for me to get rid of. I became much run down, lost my appetite and flesh and felt nervous and irritable. Vinol was recommended, and it certainly worked wonders for me; it increased my appetite, cured my indigestion, cough and nervousness, and I sleep soundly. I consider Vinol a wonderful remedy."

Vinol is not a patent medicine, everything is printed on the bottle; it contains iron, and in a highly concentrated form, all of the vitalizing properties contained in cod liver oil. It is delicious, and the weakest stomach can retain it.

We ask every run down, nervous, debilitated, aged or weak person in Wilmington and every person suffering from stubborn colds, hanging-on coughs, bronchitis or incipient consumption to try Vinol on our guarantee. It costs nothing if it fails to give satisfaction. Robt. R. Bellamy, Druggist. †

For Over Sixty Years

MRS. WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP has been used for over sixty years by millions of mothers for their children while teething with perfect success. It soothes the child, softens the gums, and allays all pain; cures wind colic, and is the best remedy for diarrhœa. It will relieve the poor little sufferer immediately. Sold by druggists in every part of the world. Twenty-five cents a bottle. Be sure and ask for "Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup and take no other kind †

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The Master Stroke of Science.

We Have Discovered the Secret of Life and Give it Free to You.

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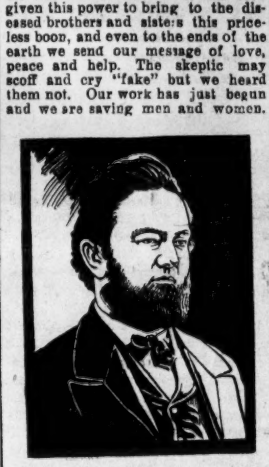
Our mission on earth is to heal the sick and cure the maimed—come unto us, and we will give you health and strength.

A bright star of hope has appeared in the east. An old Indian medicine man worked on this constituent element for years. American physicians and specialists took hold where their Indian friend left off. At length when failures seemed imminent the secret was discovered.

A miraculous combination of strange ingredients produced this most mistifying, miraculous and remarkable discovery known in the annals of medical science. To us it has been given this power to bring to the diseased brothers and sisters this priceless boon, and even to the ends of the earth we send our message of love, peace and help. The skeptic may scoff and cry "fake" but we heard them not. Our work has just begun and we are saving men and women.



Our mysterious compound startles the world with their wonderful cures with this marvelous secret. No one need grow old, and it is our mission here on earth to bring to the fountains of life all diseased persons that they may drink thereof freely.

For a limited time the company offers to send any sick person a full course of treatment on condition that if it fails to effect a cure it shall cost them nothing, and the patient's word decides the matter. Several eminent Richmond specialists have made a thorough investigation of our remedies and pronounce them absolutely harmless. They have personally tested them on a large number of patients suffering from various diseases, and they state the patients report miraculous results. In many instances stating that they had lost all hope and despaired of ever being cured until they had taken a few doses of our vegetable compound, which quickly gave them new life and vitality.

This company has a staff of specialists who will take charge of your case and give you medical advice, absolutely free of charge. If you have heart disease, consumption, kidney, liver or bladder trouble, asthma or piles in any form, vertigo, quinsey, sores, blood disease, dispepsia, indigestion, rheumatism in any form, pains and aches of any kind, bronchial troubles, skin disease or ulcers, carbuncles, cancers of any kind, catarrh, female complaint or lost manhood, lagrippe or pneumonia, exezems, fits, paralysis, diabetis or bright's disease, gonorrhœa or syphillitic troubles, it matters not how long you have had it, it matters not what doctors or scoffers may say. Our treatment is no ordinary drug or stimulating method of treatment, but it is the vital spark of life itself, and it matters not how many remedies and doctors have failed our secret compound never fails.

The people whom we have snatched from the very jaws of death and have lifted up and given health and strength are living witnesses to the everlasting power of our matchless compounds. To us and our marvelous remedies all diseases are alike. Write us and tell us what you wish to be cured of, and we will cure you. Address James Butler, Manager, 714 E. Grace street, Richmond, Va. We urge every suffering person to write to us for we will give them health and happiness. In the time allotted us here on earth we shall do all in our power to give our fellow beings the best of it of this great discovery, and our reward shall be in knowing that we have done unto others as we would have others do unto us.

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How to Cure Colds.

Here are five cures for a cold, says Household: First, bathe the feet in hot water and drink a pint of hot lemonade; then sponge with salt water and remain in a warm room. Second, bathe the face in very hot water every five minutes for an hour. Third, snuff up the nostrils hot salt water every three hours. Fourth, inhale ammonia or menthol. Fifth, take four hours' exercise in the open air. A ten grain dose of quinine will usually break up a cold in the beginning. Anything that will set the blood actively in circulation will do it; but, better than all, if your cold is inveterate or serious, consult your family doctor, and at once.

How to Remove Tomato Skins.

Cover the tomatoes with boiling water for half a minute and then put them in cold water until they become perfectly cold. When this has been done the skin will then come off quite easily and leave the tomato in an unbroken condition and quite firm.

How to Make a Waist Form.

From smooth, firm cloth cut a lining coming up beyond the neck line, well down on the arms and below the waist line. Fit perfectly, stitch. Stitch flexible bones on all the seams to give the proper curvatures. Put on, mark waist line and front closing, stitch and bone the closing seam, seam on pieces fitted to neck and arm's eye, stuff firmly with cotton or other material. Cut board or pasteboard the shape of your form, cover with cloth, tack cloth over board or sew to pasteboard, and you will have a very good dummy.

Reduced Rates.

Statesville, N. C.—Annual meeting State Grand Lodge No. 3, Independent Order Good Samaritans and Daughters of Samaria. Tickets on sale October 18th, 19th and 20th, final limit October 24th. Fare for round trip from Wilmington, $10.75.

Thos. D. Meares.

Confessions of a Priest.

Rev. Jno. S. Cox, of Wake, Ark., writes: "For twelve years I suffered from yellow jaundice. I consulted a number of physicians and tried all sorts of medicines, but got no relief. Then I began the use of Electric Bitters, and feel that I am now cured of a disease that had me in its grasp for twelve years." If you want a reliable medicine for Liver and Kidney trouble, stomach disorder or general debility, get Electric Bitters. It's guaranteed by R. R. BELLAMY, druggist. Only 50c. †

LIST OF LETTERS.

Remaining Uncalled For in the Wilmington Postoffice, Oct. 20th, 1903.

WOMEN'S LIST.

Sallie Andrews, Laura Armstrong, Maggie Benton, Mrs. Tom Croom, Lanneau Demps, Agnes Doolittle, Annie E. Futch, Mrs. L. J. Holden, Caroline Hood, Mary J. Jones, Mattie McNeil, Lillie Mairror, Georgia Rhodes, Sallie Riggons, Janie Rodger, Hattie Sharp, Rose Shepard, Florence Swain, M. E. Tarrh, Silvy Turner, Alice Vanderhort, Susie Watson, Alice West.

MEN'S LIST.

M. J. Cruse, Richard Debneurn, C. J. Dellinger, F. S. Drew, Mr. Finch, George Golfe, Elliott Grice, Church Holmes, T. M. House, Alford Ingram, Willis Johnson, E. B. Jordan, Jethro Kelley, J. A. Lane, James S. McKoy, G. C. McMillan, Robt. McMillan, J. B. Nearretis, Han Methes, Pall Manker, E. T. Peterson, June Robertson, Maier Rothschild, J. F. Sheppard, Allen Smith, Will K. Squires, Hardy Tate, W. P. Taylor, J. T. Tellington, Steven Basus, John Beasley, Lester Brown, W. H. Bryant, F. S. Ballington 2, Albert Chase, Geo. W. Farrant, W. R. Vann, J. A. Vicks, C. H. Wilkerson, Wilmington News Co., Hop Kee & Co.

RETURNED FROM DEAD LETTER OFFICE

Lettie Johnson, W. K. Wilson.

One cent due is charged on letters advertised.

Letters to strangers or transient visitors to a town or city, whose special address may be unknown, should be marked in the lower left-hand corner with the word "Transient."

Persons calling for above letters will please say advertised. If not called for in fifteen days they will be sent to the dead letter office. M. O. DARBY, Postmaster.

Vernet at the Sea.

Vernet, the celebrated painter of sea pieces, eager in the study of nature, made several long voyages in his younger days in order to observe the various scenes which the changeful elements exhibit. In one of these excursions undertaken merely for the love of the art a most violent gale of wind arose, when Vernet, without attending to the perils with which he was surrounded, desired one of the sailors to lash him fast to some of the rigging.

Soon after this request was granted the storm increased, attended with thunder and lightning and with every circumstance that could add to the horror of the scene, and consternation and terror sat on every countenance, but in the young painter every emotion was lost in that of admiration, which so wholly engrossed his attention that he every now and then exclaimed in the most enthusiastic terms, "Good heavens, what a noble scene!"

True Blue.

The expression "true blue," which we hear so often, has not even an English parentage, but is said to have been a Spanish saying, which meant that the blood that filled the veins of the aristocracy of Spain was blue in color, while that of inferior mortals was more or less black, and the proverb that "true blue will never stain," instead of meaning, as it is generally supposed, that "a noble heart will never disgrace itself," actually refers to the "blue aprons" worn by butchers on account of their not showing blood stains —a far jump this from the blue blood of the haughty Spanish aristocrat to the humble apron of the butcher's boy. —London Lady.

Whales and Bluefish.

The amount of nourishment required to maintain the life of a whale is something which almost passes human imagination. As many as fourteen seals have been taken from the stomach of a sperm whale, says Nature, and his ordinary diet consists of squids, which often weigh several tons. The whalebone whale simply opens his mouth and takes in jellyfish by the wagon load. The bluefish also has an enormous appetite, and it has been estimated that it requires 10,000,000,000 sardines to feed 1,000,000,000 bluefish every summer.

A Good Deed.

Mother (severely)—Johnny, where is that piece of cake I left here when I went out?

Johnny—I gave it to a hungry little boy, mamma, and, oh, he was so glad to get it!

Mother—Come to my arms, you dear, dear angel. Who was the little boy?

Johnny—Me.

What He Knew.

"Can no child tell me what kind of bird Noah sent out of the ark?" asked the superintendent.

"Billy can," volunteered the children. "His father keeps a bird store."—Judge.

Parlor Folderols.

Some of the money spent on folderols in the parlor should really go toward buying hardware for the kitchen and tools for the man of the house to work with.—Atchison Globe.

MARINE DIRECTORY.

List of Vessels in the Port of Wilmington, N. C., October 21.

STEAMERS.

Oceano, (Br) 3,050 tons, Stewart, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

Healeyside, (Br) 1,687 tons, Bedlington, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

Falcon, (Br) 1,849 tons, Ross, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

Haxby, (Br) 2,252 tons, Reab, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

SCHOONERS.

C C Lister, 267 tons, Moore, C D Mafflit.

St Maurice, (Br) 272 tons, Conrad, C D Mafflit.

Chas G Endicott, 751 tons, Bailey, C D Mafflit.

Robt H Stevenson, 1,056 tons, Higbee, C D Mafflit.

Jas B Jordan, 663 tons, Hempel, C D Mafflit.

BARQUES.

Chacmis, (Nor) 557 tons, Jorgensen, Heide & Co.

Hancock, 348 tons, Jasper, C D Mafflit.

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Naval Stores and Cotton Yesterday.

C. C. Railroad—251 bales cotton, 1 cask spirits turpentine, 33 barrels rosin, 39 barrels tar, 32 barrels crude turpentine.

W. & W. Railroad—189 bales cotton, 10 barrels crude turpentine.

A. & Y. Railroad—2,883 bales cotton.

Steamer A. J. Johnson—31 bales cotton, 190 barrels rosin, 53 barrels tar, 17 barrels crude turpentine.

Total—3,609 bales cotton, 15 casks spirits turpentine, 154 barrels rosin, 111 barrels tar, 62 barrels crude turpentine.

COMMERCIAL.

WILMINGTON MARKET.

[Quoted officially at the closing by the Chamber of Commerce.]

STAR OFFICE, October 20.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Market firm at 56½c per gallon.

ROSIN—Market firm at $2.05 per barrel for good strained.

TAR—Market firm at $1.80 per barrel of 280 pounds.

CRUDE TURPENTINE—Market firm at $2.25 per barrel for hard, $3.80 for dip, $3.80 for virgin.

Quotations same day last year—Spirits turpentine firm at 51c; rosin steady at $1.20@1.25; tar firm at $1.40; crude turpentine firm at $1.75, 2.80@2.80.

RECEIPTS.

Spirits turpentine	15
Rosin	154
Tar	111
Crude turpentine	62

Receipts same day last year—37 casks spirits turpentine, 67 barrels rosin, 81 barrels tar, 85 barrels crude turpentine.

COTTON.

Market dull at 9¼c per pound for middling.

Same day last year, market quiet at 8¼c for middling.

Receipts—3,609 bales; same day last year, 1,694.

[Corrected Regularly by Wilmington Produce Commission Merchants, prices representing those paid for produce consigned to Commission Merchants.]

COUNTRY PRODUCE.

PEANUTS—North Carolina, firm. Prime, 70c; extra prime, 75c; fancy, 77½c, per bushel of twenty-eight pounds. Virginia—Prime, 60c; extra prime, 65c; fancy, 70c. Spanish 85c.

CORN—Firm, 65@70c per bushel for white.

N. C. BACON—Steady; hams 14@15c per pound; shoulders, 10@12½c; sides, 13½c.

EGGS—Dull at 14@15c per dozen.

CHICKENS—Firm. Grown, 20@25c; springs, 15@25c.

TURKEYS—Firm at 13@13½c for live.

BEESWAX—Firm at 25c.

TALLOW—Firm at 5½@6¼c per pound.

SWEET POTATOES—Firm at 60c per bushel.

BEEF CATTLE—Firm at 2@5c per pound.

FINANCIAL MARKETS

By Telegraph to the Morning Star

NEW YORK, Oct. 20.—Money on call was easy at 1¾@2½ per cent., closing bid 1¾, offered at 2 per cent.; time money easy; sixty days, ninety days and six months 4½@5 per cent. Prime mercantile paper 5½@6 per cent. Sterling exchange was steady, with actual business in bankers' bills at 485.55 @485.60 for demand and at 483.25@ 483.35 for sixty-day bills. Posted rates 483 and 486¼. Commercial bills 482. Bar silver 61¾. Mexican dollars 46¾. Government bonds steady. Railroad bonds firm. U. S. refunding 2's, reg'd, 106½; U.S. ref'g 3's, coupon, 106½; U.S. 3's, reg'd, 107½; do. coupon, 108¼; U. S. 4's, new, reg'd, ex int. 134; do. coupons 135; U. S. 4's, old, registered, 110½; U. S. 4's, old coupon, 110½; U. S. 5's, reg'd, ex int. 101¾; do. coupon, 102¼; Southern Railway, 5's, 112½. Stocks: Baltimore & Ohio pref'd 86¾; Chesapeake & Ohio 29¾; Manhattan L 133¼; New York Central 117⅝; Reading 46; do. 1st preferred 75; do. 2nd preferred 62; St. Paul 137¼; do. pref'd, 170; Southern Railway 18¾; do. pref'd 74¼; Amalgamated Copper 38½; People's Gas 91⅝; Tennessee Coal and Iron 29; U. S. Leather 7; U. S. Leather, preferred, 75; Western Union 81¾; U. S. Steel 13⅜; do. preferred 59¼; Virginia Carolina Chemical, 19¾; sales — shares; do. preferred, closed 88; sales — shares. Standard Oil 630.

NEW YORK, Oct. 20.—Seaboard Air Line, common, 12¾@14; do. preferred, 20¾@21¾; do. bonds, fours, 67¾ bid. Atlantic Coast Line, common 101@110; do. preferred, —.

NAVAL STORES MARKETS

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, Oct. 20.—Rosin firm. Strained common to good $3 50@3 55. Spirits turpentine steady.

CHARLESTON, Oct. 20.—Spirits turpentine steady at 55¾; sales — casks. Rosin steady; sales — barrels: A, B, C, $3 05; D, $3 15, E, $3 25; F, $3 40; G, $3 45; H, $3 65; I, $3 05; K, $3 65; M, $3 80; N, $3 85; W G, $3 95; W W $4 25.

SAVANNAH, Oct. 20.—Spirits turpentine was firm at 57c; receipts 527 casks; sales 409 casks; exports 782 casks. Rosin was steady; receipts 23,438 barrels; sales 2,749 barrels; exports 961 barrels: Quote: A, B, C, $3 15; D, $3 25; E, $3 35; F, $3 50; G, $3 55; H, $3 70; I, $3 00; K $3 60; M, $3 75; N, $3 80; W G, $3 90; W W $4 20.

COTTON MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star

NEW YORK, Oct. 20.—The cotton market opened at unchanged prices to an advance of two points on better cables than expected and covering in anticipation of a bullish weekly weather bureau report at midday. At first, trading was very light, the demand being checked by the heavy movement and better weather, but the buying became more general later, as the estimated receipts for to-morrow's leading points came in, showing a decreased volume. The better tone in financial circles, as reflected in the stock market, and the absence of further complication in connection with the Baltimore troubles also encouraged buying, and with only a temporary set back of three or four points around midday the market worked steadily upward. The close was firm, about the best of the session or net twenty to twenty-five points higher. Sales were estimated at 500,000 bales. The weekly report from New Orleans proved quite as bullish as expected, but exerted no immediate effect on the market, the advances being due chiefly to the smaller prospective movement. The weather map reflected generally clear weather with frost in only a couple of unimportant localities and the forecast was for still more favorable temperatures. The decline of eighteen points in the Liverpool spot market was explained by the bulls on the ground that spot prices there have for some time been above normal prices and the fair demand reported at the lower level naturally had a bullish influence on local sentiment.

NEW YORK, Oct. 20.—Cotton quiet and steady at 9.80c; net receipts 431 bales; gross receipts 8,067 bales; stock 101,577 bales.

Spot cotton closed quiet and steady and 10 points higher; middling uplands 9.50; middling gulf 10.05c; sales 946 bales.

Cotton futures market opened firm: October 9.30, November 9.34, December 9.45, January 9.45, February —, March 9.51, April —, May 9.57, July 9.56.

Futures closed firm: October 9.56, November 9.59, December 9.65, January 9.65, February 9.65, March 9.70, April 9.76, May 9.77, June 9.74, July 9.78.

Total to-day, at all seaports—Net receipts 70,533 bales; exports to Great Britain 8,341 bales; exports to France 6,700 bales; exports to the Continent 900 bales; stock 474,944 bales.

Consolidated, at all seaports—Net receipts 169,373 bales; exports to Great Britain 50,731 bales; exports to France 20,237 bales; exports to the Continent 45,409 bales.

Total since September 1st, at all seaports—Net receipts 1,417,410 bales; exports to Great Britain 264,667 bales; exports to France 119,081 bales; exports to the Continent 409,036 bales; exports to Japan 300 bales.

Oct. 20.—Galveston, steady at 9¾c, net receipts 26,863 bales: Norfolk, steady at 9¾c, net receipts 4,332 bales; Baltimore, nominal at 9.75c, net receipts — bales; Boston, quiet at 9.70c, net receipts 2,391 bales; Wilmington, dull at 9.50c, net receipts 3,609 bales; Philadelphia, steady at 10.05c, net receipts — bales; Savannah, quiet at 9¾c, net receipts 18,957 bales; New Orleans, quiet at 9¾c, net receipts 18,356 bales; Mobile, steady at 9¾c, net receipts 2,057 bales; Memphis, firm at 9 13-16, net receipts 4,319 bales; Augusta, steady at 9 9-16, net receipts 6,123 bales; Charleston, quiet at 9¾c, net receipts 928 bales.

PRODUCE MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, Oct. 20.—Flour was firm and fairly active. Wheat—Spot steady; No. 2 red 85¾c at elevator. Options closed easy under realizing at ½@¾c net decline: May closed 82¾c; July closed 80¾c; December closed 86½c. Corn—Spot steady; No. 2 nominal. Option market closed dull at unchanged prices. Sales included: May closed 48c; December closed 50¾c. Oats—Spot steady; No. 2 43c. Lard easy; Western steam $7 00; refined easy; continent $7 35; compound 7¾@7¾c. Tallow easy; city ($2 per package) 4¾c; country (package free) 4¼@4¾c. Pork easy; family $19 00@19 50; short clear $14 00@16 00; mess $13 75@13 50. Butter firm; extra creamery 21¼c; creamery, common to choice 16@41c; State dairy 19@20c. Molasses steady. Cheese quiet; State, full cream fancy, small colored, 11¾; large colored 11¾; small white 11¾c; large white 11¾c. Peanuts steady; fancy hand-picked 4¾@5c; other domestic 3@4¾. Eggs were firm; State and Pennsylvania fancy mixed 26c; State and Pennsylvania, seconds to firsts, 21@24c; western extras 25c; western thirds to seconds 17@23c; western firsts 24c; refrigerator 18@21c. Rice steady. Potatoes steady; Jersey $1 75@3 00; Long Island $1 75@2 25; State, Eastern and Western $1 50@3 00; Jersey sweets $3 00@3 50. Cabbage quiet; domestic, per 100, $3 00@6 00; per barrel 75c@$1 00. Freights to Liverpool —Cotton by steam 20c; grain 11¾. Coffee—Spot Rio steady; No. 7 invoice 5 13-16c; mild firm; Cordova 7¾@12c. Sugar—Raw quiet; refined quiet. Cotton seed oil was quiet but generally steady at former prices: Prime crude, f. o. b. mills, 28@29½; prime summer yellow 39½@40c on spot, October 36¾@38c; off summer yellow 35@37c; prime white 44c; prime winter yellow 44c.

CHICAGO, Oct. 20.—Wheat prices were nervous again to day due to a feeling of uncertainty in the minds of traders as to the outcome of the financial troubles in the East, but closing prices were about where they left off yesterday with December up ½c. December corn was a shade higher, but oats were down ½c to ¼c, while January provisions closed from 10 to 12½c higher.

CHICAGO, Oct. 20.—Cash prices: Flour—Market steady. Wheat—No. 2 spring —; No. 3 spring 81¾@83¾c; No. 2 red 81¾@83½c. Corn—No. 2 43½c; No. 2 yellow 44¾c. Oats—No. 2 34½; No. 3 white —; No. 3 white 35¾@37¾c. Rye—No. 2 —c. Mess pork, per bbl, $11 00@11 12½. Lard, per 100 lbs, $6 35@6 45. Short rib sides, loose, $7 50@7 75. Dry salted shoulders, boxed, $6 12½@6 25. Short clear sides, boxed, $7 25@7 75. Whiskey—Basis of high wines, $1 25.

The leading futures ranged as follows—opening, highest, lowest and closing: Wheat—No. 2 December, new, 80@80¾, 81¼, 80, 80¼@80½c; May 78¾@79, 79¾, 78¾, 78¾@78¾c. Corn—No. 2 October 43¼, 43½, 43¼, 43¾c; December 43¾@43¾, 44¼, 43¾, 43¾c; May 42@42½, 42½, 41¾@42, 42¼@42¾c. Oats—No. 2 October 34¾; December 35½, 35¾, 35, 35c; May 36@36¾, 36½, 35¾@35¾, 36. Mess pork, per bbl—October $10 90, 10 90, 10 90, 10 90; January $11 72½, 11 90, 11 72½, 11 90; May $11 85, 12 00, 11 85, 11 97½. Lard, per 100 lbs—October $6 20, 6 40, 6 20, 6 40; December $6 30, 6 42½, 6 30, 6 52½; January $6 40, 6 52½, 6 40, 6 53¾; May $6 50, 6 62½, 6 50, 6 62½. Short ribs, per 100 lbs—October $8 00, 8 37½, 8 00, 8 37½; January $6 15, 6 30, 6 15, 6 27½; May $6 35, 6 40, 6 35, 6 37½.

FOREIGN MARKET

By Cable to the Morning Star.

LIVERPOOL, Oct. 20.—Cotton: Spot, moderate business; prices 10 to 18 points lower; American middling fair 5.98d; good middling 5.80d; middling 5.68d; low middling 5.62d; good ordinary 5.38d; ordinary 5.18d. The sales of the day were 8,000 bales, of which 500 bales were for speculation and export and included 5,800 bales American. Receipts 32,000 bales, including 27,300 bales American.

Futures opened easier and closed very steady; American middling (g o c): October 5.40d; October and November 5.23@5.24d; November and December 5.18d; December and January 5.16d; January and February 5.15d; February and March 5.15d; March and April 5.15@5.16d; April and May 5.15@5.16d; May and June 5.16d.

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Of course the secret of the haleness and the heartiness was temperance—moderation, says the New York News. No man who goes to bed on a supper of mince pie and Welsh rabbit and wakes up for a breakfast of sausage and buckwheat cakes and then spends most of the day twisting from one side of a desk to the other can long avoid the prescription of hot water thrice a day before meals. "Temperance" is one of the words that are ridiculed until they impress themselves upon giddy humanity with the effect of a branding iron.

Some happy mortals like Mr. Evarts have no use for a gymnasium, for they find gymnastic apparatus everywhere. The street is their half mile track; the two flights of steps—or maybe ten flights—are the lung developers; the free and vigorous swing of the arms and the throwing out of the chest are as good as parallel bars.

There are men somewhat intemperate in their temperance, displaying too much of the good thing. They crack your knuckles when they take you by the hand; they pound you on the back, as if a fishbone were stuck in your throat, and say, "Brace up, old man; you'll be round shouldered if you don't take care."

But there is this to be said in favor of the gymnasium—it has cured many a case of dyspepsia and to that extent has made the world sweeter.

DOING A GREAT DEED.

How Phillips Brooks Sobered Down a Too Aspiring Youth.

When Boston's great preacher, Phillips Brooks, was a student at college, he decided to enter the ministry. His instructors advised him against this step because of an impediment in speech. "The professors had all the argument on their side," said the famous clergyman years after when by patient effort he had gained control of his voice, "but naturally I could not protest, for words failed me."

To this preacher's study there came one day a youth, physically perfect, ambitious for honor and looking for a short cut up the road to success. He intimated that he wished to do some great thing better than it could be done by any one else.

Phillips Brooks wrote rapidly upon a piece of paper while his visitor was speaking, sealed it in an envelope and then suggested that the note be read when the man reached home. The letter read: "Stand in the moonlight and you will cast a shadow. No man can cast a shadow just like it."

The young man realized that the preacher had made his honest ambition seem ridiculous, but made another attempt. On the original letter he wrote, "Possible, but I desire that the deed I do be of benefit to my fellow men."

Back came the original letter, with these words added: "Then stand in the sunlight and permit the workingman to eat his luuch in your shadow."

BILLIARDS FOR WOMEN.

According to Shakespeare, Cleopatra Played the Game.

In France a gentleman is not ashamed to take his wife to see a professional billiard game. Frenchwomen are good billiard players and like to see all the fancy shots made by professionals as soon as they begin to attract attention. They read the billiard news in the daily papers and subscribe to journals published especially for billiardists. According to Shakespeare, women have played billiards from the time of Cleopatra. In 30 B. C. he makes the Egyptian queen summon Charmian to billiards. Mary, queen of Scots, was passionately fond of the game. On the evening preceding her execution she wrote to the archbishop of Glasgow that her billiard table had been taken away from her as a preliminary step to her punishment. The Empress Josephine used to rouse Napoleon from his gloomy moods by a game of billiards. Adelina Patti became disgusted with her English table and had one made in New York for which she paid $2,500.

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Peculiarities of the Carnation.

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We are showing lines of gowns, skirts and corset covers; also white and colored aprons.

Underskirts.

Our assortment in black mercerized goods is represented by a black skirt accordeon plaited, ruffle 8 inches deep, at 50c each; better skirts at 75c and $1 and up to $1.50.

Ladies' Sweaters.

We have these goods in a full assortment of sizes and colors for $2.25, $3 and $3.50. Also a nice line of silk and wool waists. A handsome waist made of black Taffeta in up-to-date style at $3.50. A better quality with more expensive make is $4.50 each.

Ladies' Ready to Wear Skirts.

We have quite a variety of nice up-to-date styles and serviceable goods; that we are selling from $1.50 up to $4.50. Nice silk skirts for $5.50 and $6.50.

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We try hard to please our customers. We carry an extensive line that represents all the different shapes, grades and prices, in hats, feathers and ribbons. We trim all hats free of charge for our customers to their order if they buy their hats and material from us. We guarantee satisfaction in every article. We have a full line of ready to wear hats at 50 and 75c each. A nice line of new beaver hats, the swellest shapes, at $2.75 each. A nice line of new shapes at 50c each. A big line of assorted colors in flats at 39c each.

Laces and Embroideries

Our show cases and tables are showing a beautiful line of applique trimmings; also a nice line of the newest styles; also a splendid line of embroideries that we are selling for less than regular prices; we are selling 10c embroideries for 6c a yard.

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For men, ladies and children. In gentlemen's fine kid gloves, worth $1 a pair, we have them for 75c a pair. A full line of kid gloves for ladies at the special price of 69c a pair in a full line of colors. Our $1 warranted gloves we feel safe in saying is the best glove sold in the city for that price, satisfaction guaranteed, or a new pair given in their place.

Underwear.

In this line of goods we have bought extensively. We placed our orders with the factories in case lots over six months ago, and we are showing to-day a full line of ladies' white and red flannels, vest and pants, for 75c, $1 and $1.25 each. In 50c goods we are showing the cashmere vests, heavy fleeced goods and heavy ribbed goods, and in 25c vests and pants we are selling a beautiful bleached vest, full size and big value. In children's vests we have the Misses' vests in bleached goods, of which we sell size 16 at 10c each, size 26 at 20c each and up to size 34 at 30c each, with pants to match. We also have a full line of Union Suits for ladies, misses and children at 25, 50, 75c and $1 each. Our ladies' and children's underwear is on the second floor under the management of a lady. On this floor we sell almost everything that ladies wear and the stock is handled altogether by young ladies.

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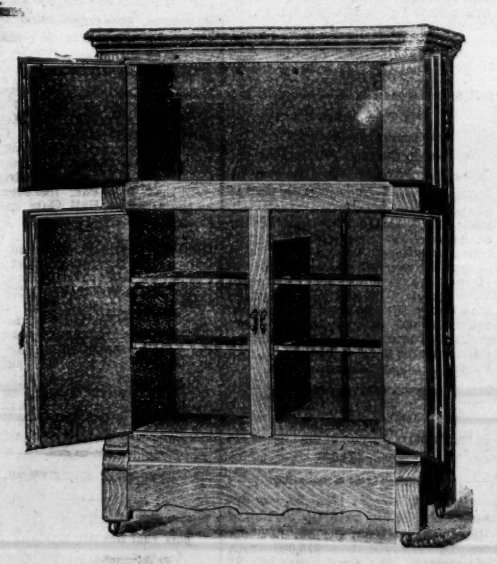

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Schedule in Effect Aug. 30, 1903.

TRAIN 39 Leaves Wilmington 3:15 p. m, arrive Lumberton 5:35 p. m., Pembroke 6:00 p m, Maxton 6:45 p m, Hamlet 7:35 p m. arrive Charlotte 10:45 p m.

TRAIN 15 Leaves Wilmington 9:00 p m, arrives Lumberton 2:15 a m, Pembroke 2:55 a m, Maxton 4:05 a m, Hamlet 6:00 a m.

TRAIN 40 Leaves Charlotte 5:01 a m, Hamlet 8:40 a m, arrives Maxton 9:28 a m, Pembroke 10:02 a m, Lumberton 10:27 a m, Wilmington 12:45 p m.

TRAIN 14 Leaves Hamlet 10:45 p m, arrives Maxton 12:35 a m, Pembroke 1:30 a m, Lumberton 2:15 a m, Wilmington 7:00 a m.

WESTBOUND FROM HAMLET.

Hamlet	7 30 a m	10 40 p m
Ar Monroe	9 05 a m	12 15 a m
Ar Charlotte	10 05 a m	.....
Ar Chester	10 25 a m	1 35 a m
Ar Greenwood	12 22 p m	3 45 a m
Ar Athens	2 50 p m	6 05 a m
Ar Atlanta	5 50 p m	7 50 a m

SOUTHBOUND FROM HAMLET.

Lv Hamlet	7 25 a m	10 40 p m
Ar Columbia	10 55 a m	1 50 a m
Ar Savannah	2 50 p m	5 05 a m
Ar Jacksonville	5 50 p m	9 15 a m
Ar Tampa	6 45 a m	6 00 p m

NORTHBOUND FROM HAMLET.

Lv Hamlet	10 30 p m	8 55 a m
Ar Raleigh	1 25 a m	11 50 a m
Ar Norlina	3 50 a m	1 40 p m
Ar Portsmouth	8 00 a m	5 35 p m
Ar Norfolk		

Lv Hamlet	10 30 p m	7 50 a m
Ar Raleigh	1 25 a m	11 15 a m
Ar Norlina	3 50 a m	1 45 p m
Ar Richmond	6 35 a m	4 55 p m
Ar Washington	10 10 a m	8 35 p m
Ar Baltimore	11 25 p m	11 25 p m
Ar New York	4 15 p m	6 13 p m

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10.00 A. M.	11.17 A. M.	11.00 A. M.
3.00 P. M.	5.17 P. M.	5.00 P. M.
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10.00 P. M.	10.30 P. M.	Saturday only

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$9.70—To Winston-Salem, N. C., and return on account of the Annual Conference Methodist Protestant Church. Tickets will be sold on November 16th, 17th and 18th, limited to return until November 25th.

$8.30 to Richmond, Va., and return, including admission to Richmond Horse Show. Tickets on sale October 12th to 15th, limited to return until October 19th, 1903.

$4.35 to Raleigh, N. C., and return, including admission to North Carolina State Fair. Tickets on sale October 17th to 23rd, inclusive, limited to return until October 26th, 1903.

$6.50—Columbia, S. C. On account the South Carolina State Fair, including one admission into the Fair Grounds. Tickets on sale October 24th to 29th, inclusive, with final limit November 2nd.

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H. M. EMERSON,
Traffic Manager.

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ATLANTIC COAST LINE.

Schedule In Effect Aug. 2, 1903.

NORTHBOUND.

	No 48	No 42
Lv Wilmington	9.30 a m	7 00 p m
Ar Goldsboro	12 21 p m	9 38 p m
Ar Wilson	1 18 p m	10 35 p m
Ar Rocky Mount	1 55 p m	11 33 p m
Ar Norfolk	5 55 p m	.....
Ar Weldon	4 58 p m	1 35 a m
Ar Petersburg	6 53 p m	3 00 a m
Ar Richmond	7 45 p m	3 45 a m
Ar Washington	11 40 p m	7 30 a m
Ar Baltimore	1 38 a m	9 18 a m
Ar Philadelphia	4 05 a m	11 32 a m
Ar New York	7 15 a m	2 00 p m

SOUTHBOUND.

	No 41	No 49
Lv New York	9 35 a m	9 25 p m
Ar Philadelphia	11 55 a m	12 01 a m
Ar Baltimore	2 12 p m	2 37 a m
Ar Washington	3 21 p m	3 45 a m
Ar Norfolk	.....	9 00 a m
Ar Richmond	7 15 p m	6 30 a m
Ar Petersburg	8 05 p m	9 48 a m
Ar Weldon	9 43 p m	11 46 a m
Ar Rocky Mount	10 27 p m	1 00 p m
Ar Wilson	11 13 p m	1 59 p m
Ar Goldsboro	7 16 a m	3 10 p m
Ar Wilmington	10 10 a m	6 00 p m

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND THE SOUTH.

SOUTHBOUND

	Daily Ex. Sunday.	Daily.	Daily.
Lv Wilmington	6 00 a m	2 45 p m	7 00 p m
Ar Florence	9 25 a m	7 30 p m	9 35 a m
Ar Charleston	1 10 p m	11 15 p m	6 15 a m
Ar Savannah	5 30 p m	3 00 a m	8 30 a m
Ar Jacksonville		9 00 a m	1 15 p m
Ar Tampa		10 35 p m	10 35 p m

NORTHBOUND.

	Daily Ex. Sunday.	Daily
Lv Tampa	8 05 p m	7 30 a m
Ar Jacksonville	7 30 a m	5 30 p m
Ar Savannah	12 40 p m	1 15 a m
Ar Charleston	4 50 p m	6 25 a m
Ar Florence	7 25 p m	9 45 a m
Ar Wilmington	11 20 p m	1 40 p m

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND SANFORD

	West Bound Daily	East Bound Daily
Lv Wilmington	9 30 a m	Ar 7 50 p m
Ar Fayetteville	12 25 p m	Ar 4 55 p m
Ar Sanford	1 55 p m	Lv 3 40 p m

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND NEWBERN

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Lv Wilmington	2 25 p m	Ar 12 15 p m
Ar Newbern	5 40 p m	Lv 9 00 a m

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Atlantic and North Carolina Railroad

Time Table No. 16

To Take Effect Sunday, Oct. 21, 1900, at 12.01 A. M.

GOING EAST. 3 Passg'r Trains Arrive	Leave	STATIONS.	GOING WEST. 4 Passg'r Trains Arrive	Leave
P. M.	P. M.		A. M.	A. M.
.....	3 40	Goldsboro	11 05	.....
.....	4 32	Kinston	10 12	.....
5 40	5 50	Newbern	8 57	9 00
7 02	7 07	Morehead City	7 42	7 47
P. M.	P. M.		A. M.	A. M.

Train 4 connects with W. & W train bound North, leaving Goldsboro at 11.35 A. M., and with Southern Railway train West, leaving Goldsboro 3 00 P. M., and with W. & N. at Newbern for Wilmington and intermediate points.

Train 3 connects with Southern Railway train arriving at Goldsboro 3.00 P. M., and with W. & W. train from the North at 3.06 P. M. No. 1 train also connects with W. & N. for Wilmington and intermediate points.

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WILMINGTON, N. C.

WEDNESDAY MORNING, OCT. 21.

FINANCIAL SITUATION IN CITY OF BALTIMORE.

Money Pouring In—The Crisis Safely Passed—No Further Trouble Probable—The Trust Companies.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

BALTIMORE, Oct. 20.—Four millions of dollars which arrived here early this morning by express from New York, Philadelphia and Washington cleared the financial atmosphere and at the closing time of the various monetary institutions this afternoon there was every confidence that the crisis in the financial district of the city had been safely passed.

Every incoming train during the afternoon and evening brought packages of money to the banks and trust companies and to-night it is estimated that there is at least $8,000,000 of currency in the vaults of the financial institutions of the city.

Conferences were held during the evening between various interests, and it was stated late to-night by a prominent banker that no further trouble among the banks or financial institutions of the city was probable.

The directors and the receiver of the Maryland Trust Company, the first to close its doors on Monday, held a conference to-day and discussed ways and means, but late to-night Receiver Allan McLane said he had nothing to make public, although he expressed the opinion that the company would in the near future be in position to pay dollar for dollar to depositors and creditors.

The directors of the Union Trust Company also held a long session during the day.

While the statement of assets and liabilities of this company is not ready to be presented to the courts, Receiver White expressed the opinion that the company will in a few days resume business.

Other banking and trust companies have been well fortified with currency, and no further trouble is expected from any quarter.

BALTIMORE'S TROUBLE.

Large Amount of Money Shipped to That City From New York.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, Oct. 20.—The local banks, in response to calls from Baltimore correspondents, shipped a large amount of money to that city to-day, $800,000 being sent through the subtreasury up to noon, and $700,000 being sent by private channels to the same place, making a total of $1,500,000. A considerable amount was also sent late yesterday.

This money went to various institutions in Baltimore, which wanted to be prepared for any emergency that might happen. It was thought here that this precaution would enable Baltimore to get through without any further trouble.

TO UNCOVER RASCALITY.

Appropriation for Expenses Voted by the City Council of Chicago.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

CHICAGO, Oct. 20.—An appropriation of $5,000 was voted by the council last evening to pay the expense of uncovering rascality around the City Hall. The action was taken when Alderman Herrman told the council that his committee investigating "grafts" would be able to accomplish great things if it only had some money to work with. He said the committee wanted to look into grave abuses of administrative methods as well as specific charges of misconduct.

SUITS FOR DAMAGES.

Result of the Disastrous Bridge Accident at Pittsburg, Pa.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

PITTSBURG, PA., Oct. 20.—As a result of a special meeting of the Structural Iron Workers' Union, held last night, damage suits aggregating $100,000 may be brought against the American Bridge Company, charging negligence in the construction of the Wabash railroad bridge, where the disastrous accident happened yesterday. The officers of the union are reticent on the subject, but one of them said the union may take charge of all the cases and bring suits.

THE SEARCH FOR WENTZ,

Friends of the Young Man Do Not Believe He Was Murdered.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

MIDDLESBORO, KY., Oct. 20.—J. S. Wentz, the Philadelphia millionaire, whose son mysteriously disappeared from Valley View, Va., last Wednesday, has arrived at Big Stone Gap, Va., and is at the head of a band of searchers who are scouring the woods to-day. Friends of the young man do not think that he was murdered. Young Wentz was engaged to a young lady and his father was opposed to the match. It is believed that Wentz left the country out of pique.

CALL ISSUED.

For a National Negro Suffrage Convention to Meet in Washington.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

READING, PA., Oct 20.—Robert J. Nelson, president of the Afro-American Republican League, to-day issued a call for a national negro suffrage convention to be held in Washington, D. C., Dec. 14th and 15th. The call says that the convention is "for the purpose of devising such ways and means as will break up Southern disfranchisement and preserve the full and equal civil and political rights of American citizens, regardless of color and race."

A Love Letter

Wouldn't interest you if you were looking for a guaranteed salve for sores, burns or piles. Otto Dodd, of Ponder, Mo., writes: "I suffered with an ugly sore for a year, but a box of Bucklen's Arnica Salve cured me." It's the best salve on earth. 25c at R. R. BELLAMY'S drug store. †

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EXTRA SESSION OF CONGRESS.

Called by President Roosevelt to Meet on the Ninth Day of November.

TO CONSIDER CUBAN TREATY.

And Determine Whether the Approval of Congress Shall be Given to the Convention Signed at Havana in December, 1902.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 20.—The President to-day issued the following proclamation:

WHEREAS, By the resolution of the Senate of March 19, 1903, the approval by Congress of the reciprocal commercial convention between the United States and republic of Cuba, signed at Havana on December 11, 1902, is necessary before the said convention shall take effect; and, whereas, it is important to the public interests of the United States that the said convention become operative as early as may be:

Now, therefore, I, Theodore Roosevelt, President of the United States of America, by virtue of the power vested in me by the constitution, do hereby proclaim and declare that an extraordinary occasion requires the convening of both houses of the Congress of the United States at their respective chambers in the city of Washington, on the 9th day of November next, at 12 o'clock noon, to the end that they may consider and determine whether the approval of the Congress shall be given to the said convention.

All persons entitled to act as members of the 58th Congress are required to take notice of this proclamation.

Given under my hand and the seal of the United States, at Washington, the 20th day of October, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and three, and of the independence of the United States the one hundred and twenty-eighth.

THEODORE ROOSEVELT.

By the President: John Hay, Secretary of State.

THE BANKERS' ASSOCIATION.

Large Number of Delegates in Attendance at the Convention Assembling in the City of San Francisco.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 20.—The hotels are rapidly filling up with delegates to the convention of the American Bankers Association. Fully 1,500 persons came in on a special train sent across the continent by the leading railroads. In addition to these there were other thousands who have reached California over the regular routes of travel on regular trains. It is the consensus of opinion among the delegates that the arrangements for the convention are most complete, and they are pleased with the welcome extended by California and San Francisco.

Three meetings preliminary to to-morrow's convention of the association were held. The Trust Company section met in the California theatre with E. A. Potter, chairman of the executive committee presiding. There was a fair attendance of delegates. The report of the section showed a balance of $2,519 in the treasury and a total membership of 501.

Secretary Branch read the paper on "trust companies as trustees," written by Lyman J. Gage, President of the United States Trust Company of New York.

NEGRO PROBLEM IN AMERICA.

Discussed at the Meeting of the American Missionary Association—No Scheme of Wholesale Emigration.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

CLEVELAND, O., Oct. 20.—The sessions of the fifty-seventh annual meeting of the American Missionary Association began here to-day, President Washington Gladden, D. D., of Columbus, O., presiding. There were four addresses of welcome in behalf of the churches and citizens of Cleveland and of Ohio, to which President Gladden responded.

The report of the treasurer showed that the Daniel Hand income account for the education of colored people in the South for the year was $66,189, and a balance on hand appropriated of $6,369.

The principal features of this evening's session was the sermon by Rev. P. S. Moxom, D. D., of Springfield, Mass., who spoke on "our problem with the negro in America," Romans 15-1. He made the recent murder of Professor Planving of the Pointe Coupee Industrial and High School in Louisiana the immediate occasion of his theme. He said that the rise of the negro has seemed to stimulate the antipathy to him. No scheme of wholesale emigration, said Dr. Moxom, is practicable. A general deportation of the blacks, even if it were possible, would paralyze the industries of the Southern States and destroy their growing material prosperity. There is a great multitude of whites that need education and christianizing.

The evil of the negro problem does not belong to the South alone, he said, but it affects all the country.

STEAMER SOUTH PORTLAND.

Wrecked on the Coast of Oregon Last Sunday—Fourteen Persons Missing and Are Probably Lost.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

PORTLAND, ORE., Oct. 20.—The steamer South Portland, which sailed from Portland, Ore., last Sunday, loaded with wheat, for San Francisco, struck on Blanco reef last evening at 5 o'clock during a heavy fog. The vessel carried a crew of twenty-two and fourteen passengers. Of these seven have reached shore.

Charles Huxon, the first engineer, died of exposure as they were taking him off the raft. Fourteen persons are yet missing and are probably lost.

The South Portland struck bow on, going at a speed of about seven knots. Immediately she began to settle astern and in a minute slid off the reef and began to sink. Captain McIntyre seeing that there was no hope of saving the ship, speedily had the boats lowered. One of the boats that got away from the ship's side loaded with part of the crew and some of the passengers was capsized as soon as it cleared the ships' side and when last seen was floating away in the fog without a living soul aboard. The captain's boat with about 18 aboard succeeded in clearing, but was also capsized and only seven were able to get back to the boat.

The survivors suffered much from exposure and Capt. McIntyre is confined to his bed.

BLOODY ENCOUNTER WITH A BAND OF NEGROES.

Three of the Blacks Killed and Seven or Eight Wounded—None of the Officer's Posse Hurt.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW ORLEANS, Oct. 20.—As the result of a bloody encounter between a band of negroes led by a white man and a constable's posse, three negroes have been killed and seven or eight wounded in the rear of Pecan Grove plantation, in St. Charles parish. None of the posse was hurt. The surviving negroes and their white leader, Pat McGee, fled to the swamps and are being searched for. Further trouble is feared.

McGee and the negroes have been working for the Mississippi Valley railroad. Several days ago complaint was lodged that some of them had contracted debts and refused to pay. Charges were made and Constable Songy went to see the negroes. On his way he met John Hinds, a negro assistant of McGee, who covered him with a shot-gun and commanded him to keep away from the camp. Songy returned to St. Rose and organized a posse. Near the camp the posse encountered eighteen of the negroes and McGee, all heavily armed. Both parties concealed themselves in the high weeds and a battle of twenty minutes resulted. The negroes and McGee finally lost their nerve and fled. The bodies of three of the negroes were picked up when the smoke cleared away. Several of them were wounded.

MEETING OF THE CABINET.

Felicitations Exchanged Over the Result of Deliberations of the Alaskan Boundary Commission.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

WASHINGTON, October 20.—At the meeting of the cabinet to-day hearty felicitations were exchanged between the President and his advisers over the result of the deliberations of the Alaskan boundary commission. Secretary Hay presented to the President and to his fellow cabinet members the decision of the commission, as stated in the official dispatches to the State Department. The decision itself indicates more clearly than anything else could how complete the American victory is.

So confident were the President and the members of his cabinet in the justness of their contention regarding the Alaskan boundary that they were perfectly willing to refer the matter to any properly constituted commission for final decision. The award made by the tribunal which has just completed its work is believed fully to justify the confidence of the administration in the correctness of the American claims.

President Roosevelt and the members of his cabinet regard that territory as one of the greatest possibilities and one which, in perhaps a few years, will be a very populous country.

Some minor matters affecting the various departments were considered by the cabinet, but no announcement was made concerning action upon any of them. Some consideration was given, it is understood, to the report of Charles Bonaparte and Holmes Conrad on phases of the postoffice irregularities. The report was made directly to President Roosevelt and dealt particularly with the charges made by former Cashier Tullock, of the Washington postoffice. In some respects the report is said to criticise the official acts of Comptroller Tracewell, of the treasury, but both the President and Secretary Shaw are agreed as to the integrity of Mr. Tracewell's actions.

THE NATIONAL GUARD.

New Propositions From the War Department Concerning State Militia.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 20.—Acting Secretary of War Oliver has sent to the adjutants general of the various States and others interested in the improvement of the National Guard a circular accompanied by a proposed law, suggestive of a form that might be adopted with a view that the organization, armament and discipline of the militia organizations may be the same as that governing the regular or volunteer army of the United States. It is the desire of General Oliver that the new propositions may be discussed and suggestions made with the hope that something may be accomplished by State legislation to improve the militia which has become closely identified under recent legislation with the Federal government.

NATURALIZATION FRAUDS.

Indictments Found by the Federal Grand Jury at St. Louis, Mo.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

ST. LOUIS, Oct. 20.—Police Captain Samuel J. Boyd, Thomas E. Barrett, former marshal of the St. Louis court of appeals, and members of the Democratic State committee; John Dolan, chairman of the Democratic city central committee; Adolph Fein, and Jacob Weissman, members of the Hebrew branch of the Jefferson club, were indicted by the Federal grand jury to-day for complicity in naturalization frauds alleged to have been committed prior to the recent election. Each is under bond of $10,000.

FIRE AT ROCKINGHAM.

In the Business Portion of the City—Loss About $75,000.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

RALEIGH, N. C., Oct. 20.—A fire broke out in the business portion of Rockingham, N. C., at 1:45 this morning and destroyed about $75,000 worth of property. The court house caught once, but was quickly extinguished. The property was insured for about $35,000.

The Interstate Commerce Commission gave a hearing yesterday in the case of the City Gas Company, of Norfolk, Va., against the Baltimore & Ohio railroad. The gas company alleges that the railroad charges more for transporting coal from the mines along its line to Norfolk and points inside Cape Henry and Charles than to points outside the caps. Decision was reserved.

Special Reduced Rates Via Seaboard Air Line Railway.

Raleigh, N. C., North Carolina State Agricultural Fair: tickets on sale October 17th to 23rd, inclusive, final limit October 26th; fare for round trip, including one admission to the Fair, from Wilmington, N. C., $4.80.

Columbia, S. C., State Agricultural and Mechanical Fair: tickets on sale October 24th to 29th, inclusive, final limit November 2nd; fare for round trip from Wilmington, N. C., including one admission to the Fair, $6.50.

DOWIE'S CAMPAIGN IN NEW YORK CITY

Denounced the Clergy and the Press in a Talk of Two Hours Last Evening.

CARRIE NATION PRESENT.

Rev. Dr. Parkhurst Sends an Open Letter to Dowie, Scoring Him Heavily. Heard Him Preach, But Was Ashamed to be in Audience.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, Oct. 20.—About 1,000 persons, half of whom were Zionists, attended John Alexander Dowie's early service in Madison Square Garden to-day, where he preached on "Blasphemy."

He then said he was going to meet the editors of the New York papers at his hotel, and requested his followers to pray for him.

The six hundred members of the Dowie choir will join the house visitation force, increasing its number to 1,440. Deacon Speicher said the work was greater than anticipated.

Dowie's chief aids, his wife and his son, are about to leave him for a trip abroad. They will start on Thursday from this city, taking the steamer Saxonian Saturday from Boston. They will go first to England, then to Australia, where Mrs. Dowie's family still lives. They do not expect to return to the United States until next Jul .

Mr. Dowie, arrayed in evening clothes, talked for two hours to-night before a great throng in Madison Square Garden, the burden of his talk being denunciation of the clergy and the press.

Carrie Nation, who occupied a seat near the front, asked "Elijah" to answer some questions. He refused and ordered her to sit down. Dowie then praised the spirit in which Mrs. Nation had warred on the saloon, but said she used wrong methods. Mrs. Nation again demanded the privilege of asking questions. At once the Zion guards surrounded her and with the help of several policemen ejected her.

The meeting was one of continuous disorder.

The Rev. Dr. Charles H. Parkhurst to-day sent an open letter to Mr. Dowie as follows:

"I do not want to be presuming, but doubt if it is any more presumptive in me to come and try to clarify you than it is for you to come and try to clarify New York, and I do not know which of us has taken the heavier contract. I attended your service at Madison Square Garden last evening, and hoped to be benefitted by it, and to go away and refute some of the charges that I had heard alleged against you. But it was of no use; your behavior on the platform crushed every throb of sympathy I had with you. I never heard from a public speaker such a discharge of effervescent wrath and coarse invective. I went to hear you preach the gospel and you preached Dowie, Zion City's 'stink pot.' I was ashamed of you, and almost ashamed to be in your audience. It was a long way below the standard even of the circuses that I have attended in the same garden. The only consolation I could derive was that it was so abominable and so far beyond the bounds of the respectable that even those in your congregation who did not know what Christianity is would have no idea that it had anything to do with what you were saying. Of course the ridiculousness of the performance was only enhanced by the immensity of your pretensions. If you claimed to be only an ordinary man there might be some hope for you, even with what you call the 'rabble,' but the rabble is discriminating and can discriminate as keenly as the keenest between a prophet and a juggler; between an Elijah and a mountebank. I say this in no spirit of anger, but either your head is twisted or your heart infected, or you have blundered badly in your method. You cannot bully people into Zionism nor blackguard them into the kingdom of heaven. I hope you will take this in the kindly spirit in which it is offered and that it will be blessed to you."

SUSPECTED DYNAMITER.

Man Arrested Supposed to be in the Scheme to Blackmail the Northern Pacific Railroad Company.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star

HELENA, MONT., Oct. 20.—J. T. Sherwood, the ranch hand who encountered a man at a hay stack near Townsend in which nineteen pounds of giant powder were discovered later, identified Isaac Gravelle to-day as the man. Gravelle was arrested Sunday in the mountains west of Helena by Northern Pacific detectives. Gravelle is an ex-convict. Superintendent Boyle of the Montana division, and Chief of Detectives McFetridge declare that no powder has been found on the track at Hell Gate canyon as reported.

Speaking of the arrest, General Manager Cooper of that road said today: "The first letter demanding the ransom was received by this company only a few days after Gravelle's release from prison. Everything indicates that he had no active accomplice, but we are sure of ascertaining the truth concerning this within twenty-four hours. There are many other bits of evidence against him which are equally strong, but which we do not care to mention at this time.

"No further outrages have been attempted since Gravelle was captured."

VERDICT NOT GUILTY.

Termination of a Murder Trial in Memphis That Has Attracted Attention.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

MEMPHIS, TENN., Oct. 20.—The jury in the case of W. Y. Hoskins, charged with the killing of John Robertson in this city several months ago, returned a verdict to-day of not guilty. The case has attracted attention because of the plea of the defence, the line of which was that Hoskins shot Robertson to prevent him from killing Mrs. Robertson. Hoskins claimed to be a disinterested spectator to the assault and shot only when he thought Mrs. Robertson's life was in danger.

ENDED IN A FIGHT.

The Football Game at Sewanee, Tenn. Not Much Damage Done.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

SEWANEE, TENN., Oct. 20.—In the foot ball game between the University of the South and Cumberland College, the last half ended in a fight, spectators separating the belligerents before much damage was done. The score was: University of the South, 6; Cumberland, 0.

Charles F. Kolich

Had Nervous Indigestion

1428 Eighth Street, St. Louis, Mo., August 26, 1903.

Mr. KOLICH SAYS: "I had no appetite; food did not taste good, and my stomach was full of gas continually. My indigestion became so bad my stomach refused the plainest food. I became thin, nervous and gloomy. By advice of a very good physician I took Paine's Celery Compound. It did me a world of good. My digestion has never been so good in my life as it is to-day. Since using Paine's Celery Compound I have learned of hundreds of others who have used it for the same trouble with splendid results."

Paine's Celery Compound Cured Him.

SITUATION IN THE FAR EAST.

No Further Conference Held—Precautionary Measures Proceeding Briskly. Rumored Treaty.

By Cable to the Morning Star

LONDON, Oct. 20.—A dispatch to Reuters Telegraph Company, from Tokio, says.

"The Far Eastern situation is unaltered. No conference between M. Komura, the Japanese minister of foreign affairs, and Baron DeRossen, the Russian minister, has occurred since October 14th.

"In spite of the suspense the public remains calm.

"Precautionary measures, however, are apparently proceeding briskly. Vice Admiral Toga, a man of unusual decision, has been appointed to command the standing squadron. This change of commanders at the present juncture has attracted attention."

The Corean charge d'affaires here has received a telegram fsom Seoul saying there is no foundation for the alarmist rumors current in Europe in regard to the present situation in Corea.

BERLIN, Oct. 21.—The special correspondent of a Berlin newspaper quotes the *Vestotschni Vestnik*, a journal published in the Far East, as authority for the statement that Paul Lessar, Russian minister to China, has concluded a treaty with China which gives Russia practical control of Manchuria, although under a nominal Chinese government. Russia undertakes to conduct any war arising with a third power from the new treaty.

WARM WIRELETS

A special dispatch from Rome says Premier Zanardelli has telegraphed to King Victor Emanuel the resignation of the entire cabinet.

The annual meeting of directors of the Atlanta and West Point and the Western of Alabama railroads resulted in the re-election of all the old officers.

John Harris, a negro, was found guilty and sentenced to be hanged November 13th, for the murder of Policeman Drashbach in Atlanta about two weeks ggo. Harris pleaded guilty to the crime.

Temporary repairs to the Long Bridge spanning the Potomac, through which a portion of a train fell on Sunday night, were completed yesterday and through railroad traffic from Washington to the South was resumed.

Samuel J. Windler, aged 40 years, former secretary of the Riverside, N. J., Building and Loan Association, is missing and a warrant has been issued for his arrest, charging him with embezzling $500 from the building association.

Since the appearence of yellow fever at a point in North Texas, the people of Fry county, that State, have become so frightened that they have refused to permit International and Great Northern trains to run through the county.

General Ian Hamilton and party left Chattanooga yesterday for Fort Riley by way of St. Louis. They witnessed a review of the Seventh Infantry at Camp Thomas and expressed admiration at the intricate monkey drill executed by Colonel Morton's men.

A large number of colored masons from all parts of the United States are in Richmond, Va., to attend the meeting of the Grand Lodge. Among the number are Judson W. Lyons, registrar of the United States Treasury Department; Charles E. Johnson, John H. Smythe, former minister to Liberia, and Magnus Robinson.

SUPREME COURT OPINIONS.

Those Handed Down Yesterday of Interest in East Carolina.

[*Special Star Telegram.*]

RALEIGH, N. C., Oct. 20.—Among the opinions handed down by the Supreme Court to-day the following are of interest in East Carolina: Folb vs. Insurance Company, Cumberland, no error; Robinson vs. McDowell, Bladen, error in plaintiff's appeal, no error in defendant's appeal; State vs. Adams, Robeson, new trial; Manufacturing Company vs. Steiumetz, Duplin, no error; Solicitor vs. Williams, Duplin, modified and affirmed, costs divided between the parties; Hodges vs. Lipscomb, Wilson, no error. Cases disposed of per curiam order: Jones vs. Railroad, Cumberland, affirmed; Chemical Company vs. Leach, Robeson, appeal dismissed; Carter vs. Commissioners, Cumberland affirmed; Moore vs. Becton, Cumberland, affirmed; Patterson vs. Wheeler, Cumberland, affirmed.

Chancellor Nicholson, of Delaware, granted an application for a receiver for the International Bank and Trust Company of America, and James H. Hughes, of Delaware, was appointed receiver. Subordinate receivers will later be appointed in all other States where the corporation has assets.

BUSINESS LOCALS.

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New table boarders may secure excellent board at No. 211 Grace street; also four or five young men with rooms and board. Apply at number above. oc 20 1w

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I have two nice rooms suitable for two couples or four gentlemen, with board. Call at Second and Chesnut, Mrs. J. J. Bowden. oc 18 1t.

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Let us put a new collar on your overcoat. Wilmington Pressing Club, 207 Market street. oct 8 tf

Wrapping Paper—For sale, several thousand Old Newspapers, all sizes, suitable for wrapping paper, and just the thing to put under carpets and matting. Will be sold at greatly reduced prices. Apply at the STAR office. oct 4 tf

For Rent—The Samson Wharf, 66 by 165, at foot of Chesnut street. Apply to Dick & Reilly, Real Estate and Insurance Agents. sep 30 tf

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Cabbage, Apples, Onions, Irish Potatoes, Eggs and all kinds of produce at A. S. Winstead's to-day, 213 Market street. Both 'Phones. sep 5 tf

Commencing Monday, September 21st, The Only Restaurant will be kept open day and night. We have engaged Mr. W. R. Hall, formerly Ward Room Steward on the U. S. Revenue Cutter Tuscarora, who will be in charge at night, where he will be glad to have his friends to call on him. sep 19 tf

Sewing Machines, Typewriters, Organs repaired, cleaned and revarnished; Upholstering done also. Address J. B. Farrar, No. 9 South Eighth street. je 30 tf

Old newspapers, suitable for wrapping paper, for sale at reduced prices, in quantities. Apply at the office of THE MORNING STAR. je 21 tf

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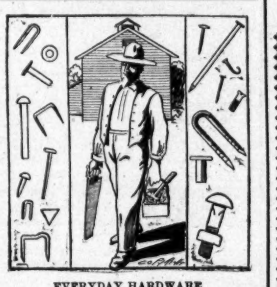
Offices for rent in The Worth Building—the most convenient business location in the city. Modern equipment. Apply to The Worth Co. feb 18 tf



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The flimsy, badly made things we do not buy. The best are cheap enough and certainly give most satisfaction.

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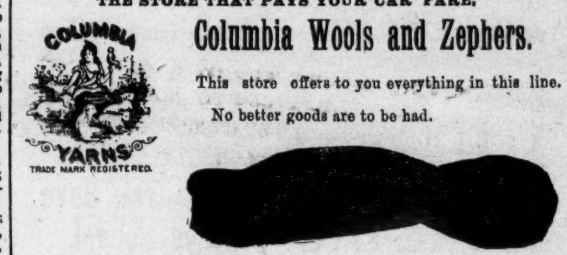

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Zephers in all shades, split and single, the ounce, 5 cents.
Columbia Floss, all shades, the hank, 15 cents.
Germantown Wool, all shades, the hank, 15 cents.
Ice Wool, all shades, the hank, 15 cents.
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Special attention given mail orders.

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Twelve fifty and fifteen dollars seems to be about the price that strikes the average man as being right for a suit.

Our twelve fifty and fifteen dollar Suits are famous for quality excess, when compared with the ordinary Suit at that price. The same Suits at your tailors would cost $25 and $30. What does your tailor give? Good materials, stylish cloths, excellent trimmings, perfect finishing, fit? So do we.

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And you'll understand. You can put one right on and see how it looks, how it feels. Scotches and Cheviots, Silk mixed Worsted and anything you set your mind on, single or double-breasted styles. All seams stayed with Irish Linen.

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oct 20 tf 206 North Front Street.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF **The Murchison National Bank,**

Wilmington, N. C.,

At close of business, September 9, 1903.

(Began business March 1, 1899.)

RESOURCES.		LIABILITIES.	
Loans and discounts	$1,361,401 28	Capital	$ 300,000 00
U. S. Bonds (at par)	300,000 00	Surplus and Net Profits	103,463 35
Bank Building	29,500 00	Circulation	200,000 00
Cash on hand and in banks	267,415 30	Deposits	1,354,853 33
	$1,958,316 68		$1,958,316 68

Comparative statement of deposits,

Sept. 9th, 1901, $988,583 41. Sept. 9th, 1902, $939,986.80. Sept. 9th, 1903, $1,354,853 33.

J. V. GRAINGER, Cashier.

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